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NEWS FROM THE HALLS OF JUSTIC

DISTRICT COURT

W. C. Dowdy, Judge.
Dwight Whitwell, District Attorney.
Mrs. O. L. Barker, District Clerk.
Mrs. Clara Travillian, Assistant.
Mrs. Justine B. Abernathy, Court Reporter.

New Suit

Max R. Kelly et al vs. William Louis Stephens, damages.

R. V. Rich vs. Charlotte Grace Rich, divorce.

Jean Lanell Stephens vs. William Louis Stephens, divorce.

Emily Young vs. Dale Young, divorce.

Suits Disposed Of

Evelyn Beene vs. Cicero Marcus Beene, divorce granted.

Joanna Grider vs. Vas Reid Grider, divorce granted.

Lavanna Faye Nelson vs. Arlin Jackson Nelson, divorce granted.

Frank Dunafan et al vs. John Thompson, dismissed.

COUNTY COURT

W. E. Button, Judge.
W. C. Hagy, County Clerk.

Marriage License

Willie D. Edwards and Betty Jean Kelley.

Billy Hill and Audrey Mae Gatwood.

Probate

Minnie Lee Redwine has been appointed community survivor of the estate of Byron E. Redwine, deceased.

Dave Wilcoxson alias Rock Wilcoxson, charged with possession of liquor for sale, fined $100.00 and costs, totaling $135.95.

Benjamin R. Carter charged with driving while license suspended, fined $25.00 and costs, totaling $51.85.

Donald Brooks Martin charged with driving while intoxicated, fined $50.00 and costs, totaling $76.60, and sentenced to 3 days in jail.

Loyd Nelson charged with carrying a Bowie knife, fined $100.00 and costs, totaling $129.85.

Red Cross Drive In McKinney Is Progressing

The residents of the city of Mc Kinney have contributed a total of $4,095.34 toward the 1955 Red Cross fund campaign. McKinney has a quota of $6,200.00, which is the smallest quota for several years: However, several hundred dollars are needed to meet this reduced quota. If you have not been contacted during the drive you are urged to mail your contribution to the Collin County Chapter, American Red Cross, Courthouse, McKinney, Texas.

Following is the break-down on the contributions inthe various divisions:

Advance drive	$2,608.00
Texas Textile Mill employees	253.95
Residential areas and Women's Clubs	571.39
Special divisions	160.90
General drive & employees	501.10

McKinney needs $2,104.66 if we are to reach our quota in this fund drive. Please send in your contirbutions today!

Prosper Students Are Chosen Winners In Essay Contest

The Modern Woodmen of America has announced the winners of the essay contest on, "What Makes America Great."

A golden trophy went to a senior boy, Maurice Sterling. Bonnie Nelson, a junior, won a silver trophy.

Gold pins were awarded to: Betty Hodges Sandra Anderson, Betty Stone, Cherry Hammond, and Barbara Nelson.

Those receiving ribbons were: Linda Atkins Carol Terry, and Patsy Knapp.

This year was the third year year Prosper students have participated in this contest. In 1953 Phyllis Gentle was awarded the first place trophy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bratton Shoulders, Mrs. Leva Marion and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson, all of Frisco, visiter Mrs. Velma Cooley in Denton recently and also attended the Red Bud Trail.

Sunday Is Rally Day At First Christian Church In This City

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t Sunday, March 27 the Sun ool of the First Christian to break all records in Our previous best at- ne Sunday morning at S ol was 627. They are st goal of 628. If this goa , Dr. Chas. B. McKissick hairman fo the drive has pr d a barbeque for the Sunday School picnic. All class leaders are urging their members to go the limit that this goal might be achieved.

An interesting program is being arranged for the Sunday School hour. There will be a general assembly of all classes from the Senior Department up in the Church Sanctuary at 9:45 a.m. The speaker for this hour is to be Miss Bajkumari Chowdhry, an Indian national, who is a student at S. M. U. in Dallas, Texas. Her discussion will be on family relations and customs, and personal items of interest to all. The public is invited to attend.

Savings Bonds Goal In Collin Is $765,000

The 1955 U. S. Savings Bonds goal for Collin County is $765,000, according to Tom W. Perkins, Collin County Saving Bonds Chairman.

Leaders of the volunteer organization for Saving Bonds are taking steps in all communities to enlist more volunteers in various activities to increase participation and expand the program. The state, areas, communities are being given their proportinate share of the national savings bonds goal of $5.5 billion for 1955. Texas' share for this year is $201.9 million.

"Buying bonds is important to everyone and each community," Mr. Perkins said. "This is one of the best and easiest ways to have and to build personal, business, and community reserves. More people should regularly buy Savings Bonds to help insure a stable economy and an effective sound money program."

The Savings Bond program is designed primarily for the individual citizen and his community custom of personal thrift and initiative, he pointed out. The program differs from most other community programs in that it encourages the individual to do something for his own personal benefit instead of for some other individual or organization. At the same time it helps the community and the country, he added.

Collin County Free Of All Bonded Debt

Collin County is now free of all bonded indebtedness.

Wylie Banker C. Truett Smith made the announcement at a Lions Club dinner at Wylie honoring County Judge W. E. Button and the four Collin County Commissioners, Glen Baldwin, Grover Bowen, O. H. Stroup, and Major Neely.

"This is really a major accomplishment," said Smith. "The state county average is $26.05 per capita, while Collin County owes nothing. We have an able, successful administration in the courthouse at McKinney. The county is operating within its budget and all funds have cash balances. The per capita operating cost, too, is only $5.50, or $1.65 less than the state average of $7.15."

Wylie School Supt. R. F. Hartman complimented the court for its efficient handling of juvenile delinquency and Mayor John Edgington praised the commissioners court for its "close co-operation" in building roads and in handling law enforcement problem.

Judge Button, in reply, announced that Wylie and southern Collin County, "soon will have its new Highway 78 from the Dallas County line to Lavon Lake." He said negotiations for the right of way have been completed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Forehand were both recently ill of the flu at their home in the Burrow community.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelsey Eaton, of Farmers Branch, visited his brothers, Enos, and Forest Eaton and families Friday night.

Awards Made At Scouting Exposition

North Star District Scouting exhibition, held in City Coliseum the past week-end, Friday and Saturday, March 18-19, proved very interesting to Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorers. Many visitors attended all three shows. There were 35 interesting booths set up and decorated for the exhibits and boys were shown in action showing and demonstrating the many skills in the three divisions of scouting. The following Packs, Troops and Post demonstrated the following subjects and won the ribbon awards following each named below.

Troop 295 (First Aid) blue ribbon.

Cub Pack 297 (Railroading) red ribbons.

Troop 298 (Wood Work) blue ribbon.

Cub Pack 294 (Tin Craft) blue ribbon.

Cub Pack 297 (Oil) blue ribbon.

Troop 305 (Coin Collecting) blue ribbon.

Pack 299 (Handicraft) blue ribbon.

Cub Pack 309 (Weaving) blue ribbon.

Troop 305 (Stamp Collecting) blue ribbon.

Pack 291 (Indian Life) blue ribbon.

Pack 298 (Paper Craft) blue ribbon.

Troop 298 (Water and Soil Conservation) red ribbon.

Pack 291 (Woodworking) blue ribbon.

Pack 301 (Transportation) blue ribbon.

Troop 305 (Cooking) white ribbon.

Pack 294 (Wood Handicrafts) blue ribbon.

Pack 301 (Handicrafts) blue ribbon.

Troop 304 (Home Repair) blue ribbon.

Pack 304 (Wood Burning) white ribbon.

Pack 291 (Wood Burning) blue ribbon.

Troop 303 (Firemanship) blue ribbon.

Pack 291 (Railroading(blue ribbon.

Troop 304 (First Aid) red ribbon.

Troop 295 (Camping) blue ribbon.

Pack 304 (Handicrafts) blue ribbon.

Post 303 (Indian Lore) blue ribbon.

Troop 306 (Electricity) white ribbon.

Troop 306 (Bee Keeping) white ribbon.

Troop 306 (Pork Production) red ribbon.

Post 301 (Safety) blue ribbon.

Troop 301 (Reading) red ribbon.

Cub Pack 299, Plano, Texas, and Post 303, McKinney, had score of 298 out of possible 300 for top honors. W. W. Smith is Cub Master for Pack 299 and Geldon Roberts is Post Adviser for Post 303. The Campaing and Activity Committee wishes to say thanks for each one having a part in this years Scouting exhibition.

Texas Association Of Student Councils To MeetOnTSCW Campus

Texas State College for Women at Denton this week will be overrun by the largest number of high school students in recent years, only a few days after hundreds were on the campus for the Redbud Festival and special home economics meeting.

All sessions of the conference of the Texas Association of Student Councils, meeting in Denton March 24-26 will be on the TSCW campus. Denton High School is host school for this 19th annual meeting, which is expected to draw 1700 students and teachers. Simultaneous discussion sections will be held each day in the TSCW Administration, Main Auditorium, Household arts and Sciences, Science and Research Buildings.

No Injuries But $300 Damage To Cars In Accident HereMonday

Two cars collided at the intersection of College and Howell Streets Monday morning at 11:25 o'clock, causing about $300 damage to the two vehicles. Mary Ethel Bailey and Billy Henry Langley, drivers of the cars, were uninjured.

City Policemen Nichols and Fraze made the investigation.

TFWC Highlights Tuesday Evening

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By FRANCES STOGDILL

Many outstanding features highlighted the Tuesday evening session of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs Second District convention which opened a two-day meeting here Tuesday morning.

McKinney's own Mrs. Roy Caldwell, second vice-president of second district, presided over the Fine Arts banquet held Tuesday evening at 6:15 o'clock in the Fellowship room of the First Christian Church. The long tables were beautifully and appropriately decorated for the occasion with gilded miniature grand pianos, harps and violins used as decorations as well as graceful bouquets of white stock and white carnations. Place favors were silhouette cut-outs of musicians and tiny gilded musical instruments. A three course dinner was served.

Mrs. U. S. Arrington of this city, chairman of Character Education and Family Relationships division, gave the invocation preceding the dinner hour.

Included in the evening's program was the introduction of past presidents, life members, club presidents and incoming club presidents.

One of these ladies included Mrs. E. L. Burton of McKinney, a new life member of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, and past president of Second District. Mrs. Burton is a member of the Edelweiss Club, and also one of the sponsors of the Tyrolese Club at the time it was organized several years ago when it was known as the Junior Edelweiss Club. Mrs. Burton is one of McKinney's most beloved club women, who has always been prominent in the social and religious life of her community, as well as the cultural life of McKinney

Another feature of this period was the presentation of Second District's outstanding clubwoman of 1955, by Mrs. H. N. Peters, of Waxahachie. This honor went to Mrs. A. B. Rivers of Hillsboro. She is a director of the Hill County Tubercular Association Board, a member of the State TB Board, and county chairman of the newly organized Searchlight for TB.

Honorable Mention went to Mrs. Clarence E. Morgan of Dallas, a member of the Women's Chamber of Commerce, director of the welfare and public affairs department of her club.

A delightful musical program was introduced by Mrs. Bard Paul of Dallas, Fine Arts chairman, presenting Miss Betty Nan Carpenter, of Fort Worth, who sang "Caro Mio Ben" and "Howdy Do Mis' Springtime." Her hister, Miss Diane Carpenter, was her accompanist.

Miss Gayle Horn, talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Horn of McKinney, delighted the audience with her selections "The Maid With the Flaxen Hair" and "Gavotte."

More McKinney talent was presented when Miss Eunice Allen sang most beautifully "In the Silence of Night" and "Dedication." Mrs. John Hooper was her accompanist.

The second highlight of the evening was the presentation of Mr. Clarence E. Manion, former Dean of Notre Dame University, as speaker for the evening. The general public was invited to join the club women for this phase of the program which was held in the First Methodist Church auditorium.

A short organ recital was played by Mrs. Gibson Caldwell, after which Mrs. W. R. Elliott, president of Second District, made brief remarks. Rev. Harry Hoy, pastor of the church, gave the invocation, followed by the Pledge of Allegience to the Flag of the U.S.A. and assembly singing of "Star Spangled Banner."

Mrs. Paul introduced James P. Swift, prominent Dallas attorney, and vice president of the Southwestern Life Insurance Company, who in turn introduced the speaker of the evening as a "truly great American of our time, a doer as distinguished from a dreamer." Mr. Manion was dean of the law school at Notre Dame for many years, former chairman of Intergovernmental Relations Commission, and is now a well-known lawyer, writer and orator. He is author of the book "The Key to Peace" published in 1950. In his study of constitutional law, he was among the first to notice our country's deviation from the principles, and has dedicated himself to the task of alerting America.

Dean Manion, opened his remarks with bits of wit, and also stated that he had been made a citizen of Texas, thus addressing his audience as "Fellow Citizens." He told of his experiences after leaving Notre Dame, to practice law, and of his travels, which have taken him into every state in the union where he has talked to every kind of audience that exists. He stated he was impressed with the fact that America is now the most highly and professionally organized country that ever existed. "All groups in this civilization know what they want and need." He discussed types of business, asserting there is "only one business represented in the United State—the Constitution. If it were not for the Constitution of the United States, all of us would be working for the government involuntarily." The speaker elaborated on the legend of the mythical continent "Atlantis" which was used to bring out many points in his address. By way of comparison he stated "there is nothing legendary about this country. The whole world looks at the United States today, enviously and hopefully. We are literally the hope of the world. If we should sink into the sea, the rest of the world would be in terror."

Another statement was made by the speaker that "the United States is not a hunk of geography. It is the incarnation of a great truth. We have developed the greatest material civilization the world has ever seen.

Dean Manion declared that "the basic trouble that confronts our country today is not in the Formosa Straits, Western Europe or Communism. The menace in America today is in the apathy and complacency of its citizens. The positive refusal of our people to look up from their interests and see this country in its perspective—they will see an America which is very definitely on the way out. The Constitution has been misused until it is now a mere skeleton of it's self."

Dean Manion, in referring to his weekly radio program which was begun a short time ago, has received 60,000 letters concerning the program. Eighty percent of them were from women.

He brought out four facts of American life, or truths, found in the Constitution from which he quoted "We hold this truth to be self-evident that all men are created."

"This is the first fact that there is a God. The second fact revealed that all men are created equal—equal in God's sight and in the law of hte land. Beyond that, they are unequal." The next truth is that "all men are endowed by their creator with certain inalienable rights—freedom and liberty." Further elaboration was upon our government, which he defined as "man's agent for the protection of God's gifts. Without God there can be no government."

Throughout his talk Dean Manion received bursts of applause as he brought out many truths. He believes that unless these is an early popular patriotic awakening "we will be propelled into a surrender of our sovereign independence in world government within the next decade." In his closing remarks he told his audience "the way to stop Communism is to keep the United States strong and solvent."

The evening came to a close with a reception in the Fellowship room of the church, for which the McKinney City Federation served as hostesses. Punch and cookies were served from a beautifully decorated table, covered in an organdy cloth, and decorated with an arrangement of white carnations with a violin and sheet of music. Members from the Owl Forum and Tyrolese club formed the house party while Misses Ann Sisterson, Ann McKinney, Beverly Young and Joan Wilson, served as pages.

During the evening Miss Wilma Stone and Mrs. N. J. Salyer played popular and semi-classical piano selections.

En Ami Club Donates Bed Tags To City-County Hospital

The City-County Hospital has been presented with six dozen name tags for beds by the En Ami Club. Josheph F. McWilliams, administrator of the hospital expresses appreciate to the members of the club for the nice gift which will be very useful in the institution.

Mrs. R. L. Gray and Mrs. Anna Davis, of Burrow, visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. Will Gray, in Cleburne, recently.

God, America FreedomStressed By Federation

Mrs. W. R. Elliott, of Waxahachie, district president of Second District Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, which held the annual Spring convention here Tuesday and Wednesday, presided over the business session of the meeting.

In opening the convention Mrs. Elliott addressed the group of some 200 North Texas club women by explaining the convention theme "Let's Put God, America and Freedom First." "The greatness of our country is based on the fundamental principle bestowed by God upon mankind—freedom of the individual. Our birthright of freedom of the individual was not conferred by government. It was not granted by legislation. It was held by our founding fathers, to be a divine blessing, a social trust to be treasured, guarded, and defended with all we are, with our lives, our fortunes and our sacred honor."

The speaker elaborated upon the ideals of liberty and independence, the defense of which offer a challenge to our people against those countires which aim to undermine our system of free government.

In her closing remarks Mrs. Elliott stressed the "practice of honesty, salf-reliance, thrift, tolerance and above all, faith in God.

"Lets return to the faith of our fathers. Let's put beauty and integrity back into our nation and the world. May it never be said that our nation has lost its way because you and I have failed to fulfill our sacred duties as trustees and custodians of a great Christain Heritage. Let us stop being part of the problem. Let us become part of the cure by putting God, America and Freedom, First."

Mrs. Royal Wood, of Denton, the former Mary Alice Wilson, of this city very cleverly responded to the president's message with the following original poem:

"Tho' we've only just opened our packets,
Powdered our noses and
Removed our jackets
We feel right at home and
Ready to stay
Because of what Mrs. McKinney, Mr. Dungan
And Mayor Newsome did say.
Like actors, we've come to
Take our parts in a play,
We eagerly wait for the
Curtain to rise
On all of the acts you've
Planned each day
In weeks of rehearsal for our surprise.
Advance notice by radio,
And press prepared by you
We've set the stage for
Our plays premiere.
We even forgive the Weatherman
For missing his cue
For here's friendly warmth
To be found in here.
Your clever heads and
Busy hands have proved
We have an excellent production crew.
So we know the "back stage"
Will go along smooth
For your hearts were in it too.
For preparing the Script,
Kitchen duty you must do
Making favors and decorations
That add to the fun
Leading lady, crew chief
And bit players too
We want to say Thanks
To Everyone.
For all you've done to
prepare the way
Surely we'll have a
bit in this play.
So, on behalf of Director
Elliot, and her cast of District II
To McKinney, and its women—
Many thanks to you!

Arrest Here For Robbery In North Carolina

Chief Alex W. Burk and a special agent for the F. B. I., arrested Clyde Walker Blackwell, 46, in McKinney Monday afternoon.

Blackwell confessed to armed robbery in Raleigh, North Carolina on December 4, last year, and was placed in the Collin County jail. He is being held for the U.S. marshal who has a warrant against him for unlawful flight to avoid prosecution for armed robbery.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. McSpedden Jr., and Miss Sammy Lane, of Frisco, attended the wedding of Miss Lois Marion and Bill Coates, which took place in the First Baptist Church, Amarillo.

Expressway Route Is Decided; Work To Start Immediately

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The Commissioners' Court of Collin County, composed of Judge W. E. Button, Glenn Baldwin, G. G. Bowen, O. H. Stroup and Major Neely in a meeting with Frank W. Cawthon, District Engineer and John R. Taylor, Resident Engineer of the State Highway Department, held Thursday Afternoon, March 17, at which time the Expressway through Collin County was fully discussed. It was decided by the Commissioners' Court and the Engineers that the most economical route for the Expressway to follow would be:

First, start at the city limits of McKinney on Highway 121 and finish present 121 to where it now stops West of Fairview. Second leg of the Expressway to start at the Dallas County Line and extend to one mile North of Plano, hitting Plano at the West city limits and the East side of the creek, to one mile North of Plano, and then extend from one mile North of Plano to the intersection of Highway 121 West of Fairview, South of McKinney.

Construction to start immediately.

New Fire Plugs Installed In City Next Week

The City of McKinney has received notice that a carload of 6-inch pipe which was ordered sometime ago, will be delivered next week. Mayor R. F. Newsome states that as soon as the pipe arrives fire plugs will be installed at Virginia and Graves streets, in West McKinney, and possibly at Hunt and Graves streets.

The city is in need of about 100 fire plugs, states Mayor Newsome, and as fast as money is available, they are installed. Last year two plugs were put in on Anthony streets.

The cost of each fire plug is $175.00 while the 6-inch pipe is $2 per foot. Additional fire plugs will be installed over the city as fast as money is available for such.

Rotary Anns To Be Banqueted Friday Night

McKinney Rotarians will have have their annual Rotary Ann Banquet Friday night at 7 o'clock at the First Christian Church. The Golden Anniversary theme will be carradied out in decorations.

President Bill Christie has announced his committees to arrange for the affair as follows:

General chairman, Royal Stephenson.

Program, Carl Cox and Paul C. Young.

Decorations, W. B. Finney and A. M. Scott Jr.

Favors, Coleman White and Kenneth Eubanks.

Arrangements, Choice McClure and Dr. W. H. Buckholts.

An interesting program of entertainment has been planned and favors will be presented to the ladies.

There will be no meeting of the Rotary Club Friday noon, this week.

McKinney's Two Banks Will Keep Same Hours

McKinney's two banks will not change their business hours, despite the new law permitting banks to operate on a five-day week. The bill was signed into law recently by Gov. Allan Shivers.

Presidents J. C. Stewart of the Central National Bank, and President J. M. Whisenant, of the Collin County National Bank, announced that no change is contemplated here.

McKinney banks are open five and a half days each week closing at noon on Saturdays.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Haesner, of Blue Ridge, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Haesner at Grand Prairie recently. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Donough, at Fort Worth.

Two Wrecks Occur Near City Sunday

Two wrecks occurred near McKinney Sunday, sending four to a local hospital with minor injuries.

Sunday morning about 6:35 o'clock a car in which four young men from Perrin Field were riding, collided with a big transport truck at Wilson Creek, South of McKinney, on Highway 75. The slippery road is attrbiuted to the cause of the accident in which the two vehicles skidded together and slid down the embankment. The car was reported badly damaged. Turrentine-Jackson emergency ambulance took the young men to the VA Hospital for treatment for cuts and bruises.

Deputy Sheriff Jim Standerfer was called to Melissa Sunday where another wreck occurred a half mile South of that town, on Highway 75. A car driven by William Marsico Jr., of Denison, slid into the car of Jeff D. Edwards, of Van Alstyne, when the latter car made a sudden stop. About $100 damage was done to the car but the drivers were unhurt.

Chief Burks Reports Busy Week End Here

Chief Alex W. Burks was in Marshall Friday and Saturday interviewing William J. Williams of California who admitted swindling a local merchant of $94.00 on February 24, this year. Williams is being held in the Harrise County jail at Marshall and charges will be filed against him by Chief Burks.

Chief Burks reports a busy week-end for McKinney police who made 62 arrests over the week-end. These ranged from DWIs to wreckless driving. Some 35 fines were paid; five were transferred to the County and others will appear later.

Mrs. Anna Lee Briggs, accompanied by her daughter and husband, of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Briggs and son, Larry, of Fort Worth, were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cullar in this city.

More Clothing Needed For Local Children

SEVERAL persons have responded to the call for clothing for four needy children, however, there is still a need for more clothes if the children remain in school.

One boy, aged 9, and three girls, 6, 7 and 12 years of age, all need clothing. Anyone having items of wearing apparel which would fit children of these ages may bring it to the Daily Courier - Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette office and it will be distributed.

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THE HOME TOWNERS
THE GREEN LIGHTS ARE ON IN McKINNEY AND COLLIN COUNTY

▶ THE FOLLOWING letter was received from J. A. Benton, Representative from Collin County:

THE STATE OF TEXAS
House of Representatives
Austin, Texas
March 14, 1955

"Mr. Tom W. Perkins, Jr.
"Asst. General Mgr.
"The Daily Courier-Gazette,
"McKinney, Texas.
"Dear Friend Tom:

"Yours of March 11, in regards the Trinity River Improvement Project.

"Tom, I don't approve of this Legislation in any respect but it seems that the Chamber of Commerce of McKinney has approved it, also the Chairman of the Commissioners and the County Judge and the four Commissioners, therefore I am forced to vote for something of which I am sure is not beneficial to our County, but up to this time I have been able to have the Eastern part stricken from the bill which leaves out Nevada and Josephine. I believe in organization but it seems that this particular Legislation is for the benefit of Dallas and Tarrant Counties, as you are aware that I am just a strong hard man down here and what I have may pass.

"Thanking you for your kind letter, I am

"Your Representative,
"J. A. BENTON"

▶ YOUR HOME Towners can't understand the way you are thinking Capt. In your letter you state that "YOU DO NOT APPROVE THE LEGISLATION but you are forced to vote for something which you are sure is NOT BENEFICIAL TO OUR COUNTY (COLLIN)." Then Capt you state that this particular Legislation is for benefit of Dallas and Tarrant Counties. And yet you are going to vote for something that can tax your people in Collin County to the neat little sum of $30,000.00 a year from here on out. Capt. you certainly have peculiar convictions. In Your Home Towners way of thinking Capt., we would not care if the Chamber of of Commerce or whose Commissioners Court endorsed any given piece of Legislation if we thought it WOULD NOT help COLLIN COUNTY—well, we would vote against it. Also why Capt. did you go to bat to see that NEVADA AND JOSEPHINE WERE STRICKEN FROM THE BILL. Well, Capt. we can't understand that.

▶ SATURDAY, YOUR Home Towners will publish another interesting letter from Austin — "Collin County cotton growers will save $500,000.00 a year. Brothers and Sisters, it's later than you think, IN AUSTIN."

▶ THE FOLLOWING letter was written to Senator Ray Roberts and Representative Benton on February 21st., relative to the "Trinity River Authority legislation which is House Bill No. 20:

February 21, 1955

Senator Ray Roberts
Capitol Station
Austin, Texas.

Captain J. A. Benton
House of Representatives
Capitol Station
Austin, Texas.

Gentlemen:

We, the County Judge and Commissioners' Court of Collin County, Texas, hereby resolve that the Trinity River Authority legislation in its present form is, in our opinion, very desirable from the standpoint of our part of the Trinity River watershed. We feel that it is to the best interest of Collin County that this legislation be passed and that this river be developed.

Respectfully,
W. E. BUTTON,
County Judge.
GLENN BALDWIN,
Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.
G. G. BOWEN,
Commissioner, Precinct No. 2.
O. H. STROUP,
Commissioner, Precinct No. 3.
MAJOR NEELY,
Commissioner, Precinct No. 4...

▶ THE FOLLOWING letter was written MARCH 17th RELATIVE TO THE TRINITY RIVER AUTHORITY BILL by W. E. Button, County Judge and Presiding Officer, Commissioner Court:

March 17, 1955

Senator Ray Roberts
Capitol Station
Austin, Texas
Re: Trinity River Authority of Tex.

Captain J. A. Benton
House of Representatives
Capitol Station
Austin, Texas
Gentlemen:

Your attention is called to letter from the Commissioners' Court of Collin County, under date February 21, regarding above project.

You are requested to disregard said letter until we make further investigation of the matter.

Yours very truly,
W. E. BUTTON,
County, Judge, and
Presiding Officer,
Commissioners' Court.

▶ THE McKINNEY Junior Chamber of Commerce passed a resolution March 1st endorsing the Trinity River Authority but a wire was sent to Senator Ray Roberts and Rep. Benton to "Withhold resolution as of March 1st., House Bill No. 20, Trinity River Authority pending further investigation of amended bill.

THE McKINNEY JAYCEES

▶ YOUR HOME Towners would like to state that endorsing a bill before you know what is in the bill would be like going into a medicine cabinet on a dark night and pulling a bottle out, taking a pill—you had better turn on the lights and know what's in the bottle Brothers and Sisters, its later than you "STINK" — down in the Capitol City.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS

▶ McKINNEY CAMP Fire Girls and Blue Bird Groups have ben engaged in their annual Birthday Week observance the past week. The program began last Sunday when these girls, dressed in their Camp Fire, or Blue Bird costumes, attended McKinney churches. Another activity was to arrange exhibits in a number of McKinney store windows, in which some of their handcraft was on display. The theme of this year's observance is "Let Freedom Ring," which has been the subject of study by the various groups in recent weeks. The Camp Fire and Blue Bird program in McKinney has shown a marked increase in membership and interest in recent years under the able leadership of adult workers. Camp Fire Girls base their program on the Seven Crafts: Home, Outdoors, Creative Arts, Frontiers, Business, Sports and Games, and Citizenship. The cornerstone of their program is "Learning by Doing." Your Home Towners take this opportunity to offer congratulations to Camp Fire Girls, Inc., which was founded 45 years ago.

Charles McEntire, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McEntire, visited his cousins, Ronald, Mike and Linda Rutledge, of Dallas, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Rutledge were guests of McKinney relatives, Sunday, being accompanied home by their nephew.

Rev. and Mrs. B. C. Housewright, of Frisco, visited relatives in Dallas, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bristow, Cleva and Mary Lou, spent the week-end with Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Elder, at Brownwood.

Fineout And Robinson Will Conduct Meeting At Princeton Church

REV. ARTHUR J. FINEOUT

KENNETH ROBINSON

Next Sunday, March 27, marks the opening of the spring revival at the First Baptist Church in Princeton. Rev. Arthur J. Fineout, the pastor, will be the evangelist for the meeting which will continue until Sunday April 3.

The music will include a twenty-five voice choir of the church under the direction of Kenneth Robinson, minister of music of the church; a ladies trio, and men's trio.

Saturday night has been designated as youth night for the revival. On that night the young people will have charge of the services, the choir will be made up of the young people of the church.

The climax of the revival comes on April 3 when the church plans for 303 people in attendance at the Sunday School hour.

The public is welcome to the services every night beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Funeral Services For Edwin Lewis Are Held At Foote Wednesday

Edwin Lewis, 86, landowner and farmer of West Collin, died at his home in the Foote Community Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock after ten weeks illness. He was born in Collin County, May 29, 1868 the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Lewis, and had lived here all of his life. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church in the Walnut Grove Community.

He was married in 1892 to Miss Sarah Coleman. Besides his wife, he is survived by three sons, Clint Lewis of McKinney; Henry and Paul Lewis, both of Amarillo; three daughters, Mrs. Edna Brown and Mrs. Clara Malone, both of Dallas and Mrs. Florence Crowder of McKinney. One sister, Mrs. L. V. Smith of Arkansas; three brothers, Dr. Lawrence Lewis of Celina; M. G. Lewis of Arkansas and C. C. Lewis of California; ten grandchildren and five great-grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 3 p. m. at the Foote Baptist Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. D. A. Griggs, with interment in the Walnut Grove Cemetery, directed by Turrentine-Jackson Funeral home.

Pallbearares were: Smith Roberts, Grady Boren, Garland Sims, John Watson, Lewis Baldwin, R. N. Furr and J. B. Hutchinson.

Mr. And Mrs. Box Grateful For Kindnesses

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Box are expressing, through the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gabette, thanks to their host of friends for the many nice gifts sent to them when their home was destroyed by fire recently.

They have received many items in household effects as well as wearing apparel.

Mr. and Mrs. Box say all of their needs have been taken care of and they are deeply grateful for all kindnesses extended to them.

Cassidy Feed Mills Build New Elevator In Richardson

C. W. Cassidy, owner, Cassidy Feed Mils has announced expansion of the grain storage facilities of the company at Richardson.

One of the most modern grain storage elevators in Texas is scheduled for completion by May 15 this year in time for this year's grain crop. North Texas grain raisers will find the most modern and up to date machinery for unloading and handling their grain.

The new plant will be a steel and concrete installation for more than 210,000 bu. storage. New 50 foot truck scales and hopper type scales within the elevator will handle the weight.

Biggs Weaver Machinery Co., the contractors of the facility, say the plant will be able to load and unload better than 75,000 bu. a day. Farmers will be able to get their grain unloaded and get back to the field with very little or no waiting.

Nearly the entire capacity will be turned to government storage this year thus helping to alleviate somewhat the extremely short storage space in this area. Anyone interested in storage for this year should contact the Cassidy Mills. They are trying to meet all requirements as long as the space lasts.

Frank W. Hendricks Passes Away Here After Long Illness

Frank W. Hendricks, 72, died at his home, 82 Merritt Homes, at 5 o'clock Wednesday evening after two years of failing health. Mr. Hendricks, a retired sales clerk, had lived in McKinney most of his life, moving to Abilene a few years ago where he lived before returning to McKinney two years ago. He was a member of the Baptist Church and Masonic Lodge.

He was married in McKinney, in 1905, to Miss Laura Blackwell, who survives. Other survivors are a son, J. B. Hendricks, of Abilene; his step-mother, Mrs. R. G. Hendricks, of Palacious; five brothers, Harry and Ray Hendricks, of McKinney; Roy Hendricks, of California; Eugene Hendricks, of Dallas and R. G. Hendricks Jr., of Palacious; four sisters, Mrs. Ina Ball of Dallas; Mrs. Jim Griffin, of Plano; Mrs. Pete Madley, of California and Mrs. Jimmy McCauley, of Washington, D. C.

Funeral services were held Friday at 2 p.m. in the Turrentine-Jackson Chapel, conducted by Dr. Charles Myers, pastor of the First Baptist Church, with interment in Pecan Grove Cemetery.

B. B. Evans Rites Are Held Thursday Afternoon In Nevada

Funeral services were held at the Nevada Baptist Church at 3 p.m. Thursday for Burrall Bloomer Evans, 81, who died at his home there Wednesday. Rev. Harold Proctor, pastor, officiated, with burial in the I. O. O. F. Cemetery at Nevada.

Mr. Evans, a resident of Collin County for 60 years, was a retired rural mail carrier. He was born in Arkansas, coming to Texas in 1895. He was married to Miss Grace Clare Moran in 1900.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. B. B. Evans, of Nevada; a son, B. B. Evans Jr., of Tulia; four daughters, Mrs. M. F. Thorn of Dallas, Mrs. R. B. Ray of Fort Worth, Mrs. N. C. Dodson of Lavon, and Mrs. Leon Robson of Route 1, McKinney; a brother, Arthur Evans of Prosper, three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Frank Haynes Attends Funeral Of Uncle In Dallas, Thursday

Frank H. Haynes was in Dallas Thursday to attend the funeral of his uncle, J. R. Haynes, 87, who died there Tuesday morning after an extended illness. Nephews and great-nephews of the deceased served as pallbearers.

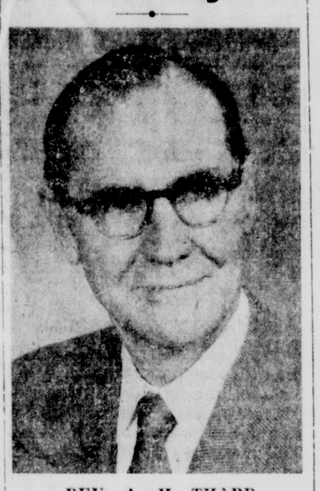
Mr. Haynes was a member of a pioneer Dallas family, his father, the late Rev. A. J. Haynes being the founder of City Temple Presbyterian Church there. J. R. Haynes had been a prominent lawyer in Dallas for many years.

His survivors include a daughter, Miss Alice Haynes, of Dallas, and a number of nephews.

Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Butcher, of Raymondville, visited her sisters, Mrs. Rena Button and Mrs. Ross Chandler, at Weston, last week-end.

The West Collin Youth meeting was held Monday night at the Lebanon church. Rev. Ewing Cooley of Denton, was guest speaker.

Rev. Tharp, Evangelist For North Baptist Revival Meeting



REV. A. H. THARP

Beginning Monday, March 21, the North Baptist Church is in its annual Spring revival effort. This year they are cooperating with a great host of Southern Baptist Churches in a great simultaneous evangelistic effort. The meeting will continue for weeks concluding on Sunday April 3.

All last week the Church prepared for the meeting with extensive cottage prayer meetings and visitation efforts. There is an unusually fine spirit of growing concern among the people of the church. A wonderful spirit has permiated all the revival preparation for this meeting.

Rev. R. H. Tharp, pastor of the Victory Baptist Church, of Houston, will be the Evangelist. We are very honored to have this man of God for this series of services, states the pastor. Rev. Tharp has filled some of the highest denominational positions that Southern Baptists have to offer. He served on the Education Commission, and the Executive Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention. He was president of the Baptist General Convention of Arizona two years.

The Evangelist has been pastor of some of the leading churches in the Southern Baptist Convention including the First Baptist Church of Hugo, Oklahoma, Trinity Baptist Church, Dallas, Texas and the First Baptist Church in Houston Texas for fourteen years and pastor of the First Baptist Church of Tuson, Arizona for seven years.

The pastor states, "we believe that we have a man for real stature and ability for these services. This will be a real opportunity for the people of McKinney to hear this man of God. Certainlly it is a privilege for our churches to have this man who has met the Master and tells the gospel story in such an effective way."

An early morning service will be held each morning to accommodate those who work and the boys and girls in school. This service will begin at 7:15 a. m. and close promptly at 7:45 a. m. each morning. The evening services will begin at 7:30 p. m. each evening. A wonderful spirit of gospel singing and special music is always enjoyed at the North Church. At 7:30 p. m. each evening there will be a prayer group for every age group. A Booster Choir for Juniors and Primaries will meet during this time each evening. The nursery will be open for the small children each evening. The North Church has the most-modern, healthful and commoodious nursery facilities to be found in McKinney. Your Child will erjoy the nursery.

Friends from the entire community and Country are invited to attend these revival services. A spirit of friendliness unrevals in the church and visitors are always welcome. The public is encouraged to attend and share in the wonderful opportdnities of the next two weeks at North Church.

First Baptists To Begin Two Weeks Revival Sunday

Dr. Charles Myers, pastor of the First Baptist Church, announces plans are being completed this week for one of the best revivals ever held at the local church. The First Baptists are joining some 50 other Baptist churches in Collin County in simultaneous evangelistic services.

Dr. G. B. Bradshaw, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of Bowie, will be the guest evangelist while M. E. Powley of Houston, will direct the singing. Both are outstanding in theilr fields of service and their work here is being looked forward to by the local congregation.

The two weeks' meeting begins Sunday, with services each week night at 7:30 o'clock and four morning services — Tuesday through Thursday—each week, at 7:10 o'clock. The meeting will close on Easter Sunday, April 10.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Morrow and two daughters, of Wellington, visited in Cottage Hill recently.

EVERSHARP EXECUTIVE IS McKINNEYITE

—Star-Telegram Photo.

PRIZE WINNER—Thomas Emerson of Eversharp Corporation, second from left, Wednesday presented keys to this 1955 Ford convertible to Sam M. Patterson, Carpenter Paper Company salesman, Dallas, who won a national Eversharp contest. P. D. Handley, left, Carpenter's division manager, congratulates Patterson while A. M. Reese, right, Carpenter sales manager, looks on.

The above picture appeared in the Firt Worth Star Telegram when Tom Emerson, Eversharp executive was in that city recently on business.

Another item concerning Mr. Emerson appeared in the March 15 issue of the Kansas City Times. Since he is a part-time resident here now where he has a host of friends, we re-print the item, which will be of considerable interest here.

Fountain pens and razors are his business, but onions, cows and photography are high in his interests, Thomas Emerson, New, York vice-president and general manager of Eversharp Inc., said here yesterday.

The purpose of a business trip which began a month ago in New York is to promote a new ball point pen, Emerson said. However, it has afforded him an opportunity to stop at his 350-acre ranch near his home town of McKinney, Tex.

CATTLE AND ONIONS

Emerson raises Whiteface cattle on the ranch, and in recent years his wife, Mary Betty Emerson, has started a small onion business, he said.

"I call my wife the onion queen," he said. "A few years ago we put in some onions. The land down there is such that the onions came out very sweet. We were proud of them and gave some of them to friends. Well, you should have heard them rave. Even some people with ulcers said they could eat them. Of course I don't believe that, but we started packing them and sending them to more friends.

"Before long people wanted to buy them. We didn't think we could sell any, but we put them on sale at a very high price. We think we have made the onion respectable and even elite."

The primary operation of the ranch, he said, is the raising of 130 cattle. Each animal has a number branded on its side and a record is kept of every one from birth to disposal.

LESSON FROM COWS

"If a cow stops producing, she goes to the cannery," he said. "Incidentally, that's a point I like to make to our salesmen: Produce or go to the cannery."

The hobby of photography is a recent one, he said, but Emerson has gone into it on a large scale since starting with a Brownie camera three years ago. He now carries on trips a foreign camera and much equipment.

"I'm a shutterbug," he said. "I just keep snapping pictures Some of them come out pretty good.

"Incidentally," he said, "my first selling job was in Kansas City. It was so long ago I hesitate to remember the date for fear of dating myself. However, I started with the Krakan Pen Company, which old-timers probably can remember."

SEVENTEEN YEARS WITH FIRM

He started with Eversharp in 1938 as a sales manager.

Emerson said he feels persons who predict an impending depression are unduly pessimestic.

Business conditions are unbelievably good judging by what I've seen in the last month," he said. "Cities all over the West are expanding at a tremendous rate.

"People are buying lots of merchandise, but they are buying nothing but high quality products. That's a good sign. If you have a good product all you have to do is market it and advertise it and you're in. But it has to be good."

Rev. Clifton Igo To Preach During Weston Revival Meeting

Weston Baptist Church will have Rev. Clifton Igo from Southside Baptist Church, Lubbock, Texas as their evangelist beginning Sunday, March 27. Rev. Igo was associated with churches in Collin and Grayson, before leaving for Lubbock in October, 1954. He was the manager of the Dr. Pepper Distributors in McKinney for several years.

Rev. Igo is president of the Lubbock Baptist Pastors Fellowship which meets weekly at Caprock Hotel for luncheon, and associational Training Union Pastor Consular.

Subjects which Rev. Igo will each night are: Sunday: "Being Carpenters For Jesus; and "Strike It Rich."

Monday: "Lifes Greatest Achievements."

Tuesday: "Why People are not Happy."

Wednesday: "The Honeymoon is Over.."

Thursday: "The Worlds Lost Chord."

Friday: "Why Heathern's Are Lost."

Saturday: "A Crazy Cockeyed World."

Rev. Harold Mills is pastor and wishes to envite all the friends and others to come and hear this Collin County Evangelist.

Father Of Mrs. Leon Allen Dies Monday At Home In Cooper

Mrs. Leon Allen, of this city, was called to Cooper Monday by the death of her father, J. Wash Chapman who died from a heart attack. He had lived in Hopkins County all of his life and was a member of the Christain Church.

His survivors include his wife, a son Rob Chapman, both of Cooper, and a daughter, Mrs. Leon Allen of McKinney. One granddaughter, Cindy Allen, of McKinney, also survives.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the First Christain Church in Sulphur Springs.

Bro. Connie Hollis, of Leonard, filled his regular appointment at the Westminster Chudch of Christ, Sunday. Each preaches there every second Sunday. Bro. Burt Grools, of Garland, preaches the other Sundays.

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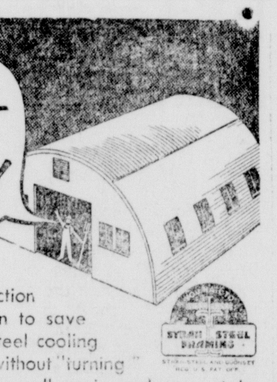

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McKinney Ford Texas

High Lions Win Third Place In Denton Meet

The McKinney High Lions track and field team won third place in a guadrangular meet held on the North Texas State College track, at Denton, Thursday afternoon.

Coach James Boucher's lads garnered 18 points to finish ahead of the Greenville High Lions and behind the winning Denton High Broncos and the Gainesville Leopards.

This is the second McKinney High track team in many years and shows a remarkable improvement over the 1954 team, the first since the sport was revived.

Dudley Wysong Jr. led the Lion pointmakers by winning the mile run in the commendable time of 5 minutes, 06.9 seconds. Dickie Price finished second in the broad jump with a leap of 18 feet, 6 inches; Jimmy Acosta took second in the 880-yard or half mile run, and the mile relay team of Billy Dunn, Dickie Price, Charles Allen and Kenneth Locke ran third with a time of 3 minutes and 48 seconds.

The Lions showed up best as a team in the quarter mile or 440-yard dash in which Billy Dunn finished second with a time of 54.6 seconds followed closely by freshman Kenneth Locke who ran third in 55.6 seconds.

Coach Boucher took thirteen boys to the meeting.

The Lions were hampered by the loss of John Hooper, who runs one leg of the mile relay team, and Eugene Decker, a freshman entrant in the 220-yard dash. Both of these performers have been ill and could not take part in the Denton meet.

The track sport was re-established at McKinney High, last year, under the direction of Athletic Director Wyatt McDowell with Coach Boucher at the helm. The Lions had a lot of trouble getting started again and managed to score only 2 points in the district meet, winning two fourth places.

However, they are coming along fine, this year, with the personable Boucher again heading up the track coaching staff. He is being assisted by Coach McDowell who is training the entrants in the weight events; by Coach Grover Pearson who is in charge of the broad jump and high jump performers, and by Coaches Scott Johnson and Joe Simpson.

The future high school tracksters, the youngsters in the junior high grades who also have a track team of their own, are the ones causing the biggest smiles. In a recent dual meet with Greenville, the eighth grade youngsters won the first five places in the 100-yard dash and the first six places in the 50-yard dash. They will be strong contenders for the team championship in the district junior high meet to be held, at Denton, on the Laboratory Track, there, on April 5. Coach Boucher expects to take a very strong junior high team to this meet.

The high school lads have previously competed in a dual meet with the Greenville High Lions, at Greenville, in which they came out about even with the host team.

They will show their wares again, on April 8, in a meet at Mount Pleasant, and Coach Boucher expects to field a reasonably powerful squad in the district high school meet, on April 14, at the East Texas State Teachers College track, in Commerce. The district, this year, includes Paris, Greenville, Sherman, Gainesville, Denison and McKinney. Denton competes in another district.

As in other sports, this year, the Lions are concentrating on the future. In addition to the fact that they have a tremendously strong junior high track team, they are cushioned by the fact that only Billy Dunn is a senior in this year's high school group.

1955 Schedule Of M'Kinney Lions Given

The McKinney High School Lions football team will meet four non-conference foes next fall.

The 1955 schedule:
Sept. 16—at Garland.
Sept. 23—Jesuit.
Sept. 30 –at Arlington.
Oct. 7—Irving.
Oct. 14—Paris*.
Oct. 21—at Greenville*.
Oct. 28—open.
Nov. 4—Sherman*.
Nov. 11—at Gainesville*.
Nov. 18—Denison*.
Nov. 24—at Denton*.
*District game.

Mrs. W. B. Mitchell has returned to her home, 404 West Heard Street, from a visit with her nephew, Dr. A. J. Giese and wife at Bay City. She also visited another nephew, Alex Giese and family in Smithville, and other relatives in Waco. She was away for ten days.

Alla Defeats Prosper In Seven Innings

Opening their 1955 baseball season, the Alla Blackcats pushed past Prosper and held their lead for a 7 to 4 win at the Alla baseball field on Tuesday.

Behind the fine hurling of Rusty Vaughan and R. T. O'Dell, the Alla squad led off with a 3 run lead in the first inning behind singles by Frank Svoboda and Jim Hollandsworth and a walk and two base hit by Joe Willard.

Prosper's scores were racked up in the fifth inning when Hamby and Edwards backed a pair of singles with a double by Templin. But bearing down in the clutches, the Alla boys held.

Frank Svoboda had a perfect slate for the victors with two hits and two walks for a perfect record at bat. Parvins had two hits and a walk for high man on the Prosper nine

Alla baseballers go to Prosper this Thursday for a return match. Alla district 36B baseball play opens April - against Frisco.

All District Teams In East, West Zones

Anna and Princeton dominated the All-District 42-B East Zone Boys' basketball team for 1955 while Wylie and Community were on top places in the East Zone Girls' teams, The all-star clubs were selected by coaches on ballots sent out by Radio Station KMAE, McKinney.

East Zone Boys: Bobby Cravens and Carl Cody of Anna, Bob Steel and Doug Densmore of Princeton, and Wally Watkins of Wylie were named to the first team. The second team lists Barney Martin of Princeton, Russell Clemons, Wylie; Charles White, Blue Ridge; Wendell McGuire, Community, and Gerald Lay, Buddy Beaty and Jesse Ingram, Westminster.

Honorable mention went to Billy Miller and Joe Duer of Anna, Abbott, Community; Ross Bass and Loughmiller, Blue Ridge, and H. G. Griffin, Westminster.

East Zone Girls: First team — Forwards, Carolyn Cave, Princeton, Martha Ross, Community, and Margie Cross and Gail Dempsey, Wylie. Guards, Maurine Flowers and Martha Ann Hooper, Wylie, and Marticia Ross, Community. Second team — Forwards, Oleta Pruett, Community; Betty White, Wylie, and Ann Jack Rollins, Anna. Guards, Jane Gilbert, Princeton; Melba Brown, Westminster; Jane Birdwell and Eubanks, Community, and Cora Thrasher, Wylie.

Honorable mention: Birdie Kennedy, Princeton; Kathryn Eubanks, Wylie; Pauline Myrick, Blue Ridge, Gilbert, Anna; Mahan, Westminster; Betty King and Charlene Shields, Wylie; Julia Beckham, Blue Ridge; Janelle Lawrence and Martha Littrell, Anna, and Pansy Wooley, Princeton.

Pee Wee, Pony Leagues Will Be Organized Here

Plans for operating the Pee-Wee League in McKinney, during the 1955 season, were made at a meeting held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce. Mayor R. F. Newsome, who called the meeting, complimented league sponsors upon the success of last year's season and the fine work which was done among the boys of the city.

The Pee-Wee League, for boys, 8 through 12 years of age, will operate on the same basis as last year, with games played at Quarterback Field in Finch Park. A schedule will be drawn up and play will begin about June 1.

H. D. Mouzon, president, announces a Pony League will also be organized for boys 13, 14 and 15 years of ago.

These games will be played at the Jaycee Recreation Center.

Clubs represented at the Friday meeting were:

Kiwanis—A. H. Witherspoon and Sam H. Wysong.

Jaycees — George Webb, Gene Kissinger and Emory Davis.

Lions—C. M. Cooper Jr.

American Legion—Roy Raper.

V. F. W.—Leo Kissinger.

Quarterback Club—Geldon Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Borchardt and family, of Krum, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Borchardt and son at Lebanon.

Mrs. Anna Davis, Mrs. R. L. Gray and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wright and Diana O'Neal, visited in Sulphur Springs and Winnsboro, recently.

Allstars Clip Southmayde By Score 77 To 50

Snapping a two game losing streak, the First Presbyterian Church Allstars defeated the Southmayed Warriors 77 to 50 in a regular North Texas Conference League game Monday night at the Gunter high school gym.

Jumping to a quick 12 to 3 advantage in the first five minutes of play, the Allstars were in complete charge for the rest of the night, although Southmayed did pull to within one point (21 to 20) in the second period.

The third quarter was nip and tuck in the early minutes, but fast breaks and alert defensive work on the part of Chester Story, Frankie Biggs, and Kenneth Hall proved to be taking affect as the Stars widened the gap to 50 to 34 at the close of the third.

Southmayed fought back beautifully in the final period scoring four straight field goals, but their last spark for life was quickly put out as the victory hungry Allstars threw up an air tight defense for the remainder of the contest.

Top scoring honors for the night went to Clyde Andrews of Southmayed with 23 points. Kenneth Hall was high for the Allstars with 18.

In the first game Sherman upset highly regarded Gunter 64 to 49.

ALLSTARS

Players	FG	FT	FL	TP
Story	8	1	4	17
Hall	9	0	1	18
Gaulden	3	2	0	8
B. Swanner	2	2	1	6
Hackney	3	1	2	7
J. Klemm	0	0	1	0
Hamm	0	0	1	0
Biggs	5	2	1	12
Dugger	4	1	3	9
Totals	34	9	14	77

SOUTHMAYED

Players	FG	FT	FL	TP
Harlan	1	0	1	2
Anderson	0	0	0	0
Sylstine	3	1	2	7
Fox	4	1	0	9
Andrews	9		2	23
Fergerson	2	2	2	6
Bell	0	0	0	0
Rutherford	0	0	1	0
Hames	1	1	1	3
Totals	20	10	9	50

Half time score: Presbyterian 33, Southmayed 28.

Reading Consultant Speaks To Elementary Teachers In McKinney

Miss Dorothy Filgo, reading consultant for the Reading for Meaning Series, visited the McKinney school Wednesday. Accompanied by Mrs. Paul Worden, coordinator of instruction, Miss Filgo visited each elementary school in the city, talking with teachers and pupils, and conferring with the principal.

At 3 p. m. a large group of elementary teachers assembled at Boyd High School to hear Miss Filgo lecture. She complimented the teachers on the fine work they are doing with the reading program in the McKinney schools. She based her comments, not only on her observations, but on the results of the standardize tests given in the schools this year.

Miss Filgo encouraged the teachers to follow the reading program adopted in the McKinney schools—using the teachers' manuals conscientiously—in order to help the children develop into independent readers. She also discussed with the teachers the time problem involved in working with basal and supplementary reading.

Those attending the meeting, other than teachers of the first four grades ,were Principals D. F. Douglas, C. T. Eddins, Roy Lee Walker, Supt. Hailds Pearce and Miss Paul Worden.

Weston Men Attend W.O.W. Convention In San Angelo

Roy Mayes, Wade Terrell and Tony Ball, all of Weston, have been in San Angelo this week attending the state convention of the Woodmen of the Worald Life Insurance group. They are staying at the Cactus Hotel there.

Mayes is district manager of the W. O. W. here. They were accompanied to San Antonion by Mrs. Roy Mayes of Weston, Mrs. Laud Hwell and Mrs. Jack Smith, of McKinney, who will visit Mrs. Smith's son, Hugo Smith and family in San Angelo.

Otis Meek, wife and daughter, Norma Gail, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lane, here Sunday. Mr. Meek was manager of the Lane Grocery and Service Station in McKinney for several years. He is now owner of a super market at Bridgeport, Texas.

American Legion And VFW Play Important Part In City Life

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Two organizations in McKinney and Collin County, which have rendered oustanding community service are the Jimmie Geigas Post No. 96, American Legion, and the Lone Star Post No. 2150 Veterans of Foreign Wars. These two groups have been in the forefront of whose who champion the rights of all veterans, notably those who are disabled while in the service of their country, and of their dependents.

Officers of Jimmie Geigas Post are:

Commander, Roy S. Raper.
First vice-commander, Larry W. Foster.
Second vice-commander, William C. Ball.
Adjustant, Michael Kozma, Jr.
Finance officer, Woody Rains.
Chaplain, Andrew J. Lazarine.
Historian, Capt. Roy F. Hall.
Service officer, Gerald Turner.
Sergeant-at-arms, L. C. Robertson.

The membership for 1954 was 497.

Lone Star Post, which had a total of 446 members in 1954, has the following officers:

Commander, Leo Kissinger.
First vice-commander, Bonnie B. Burke.
Second vice-commander, Ferry D. Lewis.
Adjutant, E. A. Dobbs.
Quartermaster, John R. Nolley.
Chaplain, E. H. Brown.

These groups seek to bring religion, social, economic and political life to the foreground, with emphasis on the patriotic protection of our American way of life. With a desire to further religion, they have gained as the undying enmity of Godless Communism, and are branded as Communism's Public Enemy No. 1.

In McKinney and Collin County these organizations have sought to render service to the entire community. This ranges from first-aid in time of catastrophe to programs for community betterment, especially in behalf of children and young people. Both organizations sponsor youth programs, and their modern homes, both located just North of the city, are often the scenes of parties for the children and youth of McKinney. Both buildings were designed and built with this purpose in mind and numerous school banquets, dances and other forms of entertainment have been planned there. Both posts sponsored teams in the Pee-Wee Baseball League last summer for boys 8 to 12 years of age. They expect to sponsor teams again this year.

A total of $1,077.70 was donated to various fund raising drives, and the Veterans Hospital, as well as child welfare and assistance and civic causes last year by the American Legion.

The V. F. W. donated $1,292.66 to the same. No charge is made for use of their homes to church and school groups, or other public affairs.

These donations, by the American Legion, for 1954, are classified as follows:

DONATIONS TO DRIVES AND VA HOSPITAL

Boy Scouts, $50.00.
Salvation Army, $25.00.
Infantile Paralysis, $18.75.
Crippled Children, $2.00.
Tuberculosis, $2.00.
V. Christmas Gift Shop, $50.00.
Case cigarettes to VA patients, $39.30.

CHILD WELFARE AND ASSISTANCE

Two families in McKinney with five children, $286.00.
Itinerants, $54.65.

CIVIC DONATIONS

Pee-Wee Baseball League, $200.
Veteran's Day Program, $225.
Boy's State (two boys), $120.00.
School Awards (two awards), $5.00.

Besides the church and school affairs, the Legion Home was used for a mass meeting with a panel discussed the Water District. Several local business firms used the Home during the year at nominal charge.

1955 DONATIONS TO DATE

Donations to Infantile Paralysis Drive, $160.00.
Child Welfare & Assistance (one family with 2 or 3 children), $200.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars activities for 1954 as classified as follows:

DONATIONS TO DRIVES AND VA HOSPITAL

Boy Scouts, $25.00.
Infantile Paralysis, $25.00.
Salvation Army, $25.00.
American Red Cross, $25.00.
McKinney Quarterback Club, $15.00.
Grave Marker, $9.00.

V. A. HOSPITAL

Cigarettes, $76.60.
Patient parties, $100.00.
Patients to Cotton Bowl, $47.30.
Floor lamps for patients, $16.00.

CHILD WELFARE AND ASSISTANCE

Disaster Relief-San Angelo, $2.
Disaster Relief-Waco, $25.00.
Seven families (17 children), $208.76.
Fund for McKinney School, Children: Through Mrs. Frank Wolford, $200.00.
Itinerants, $60.00.

CIVIC DONATIONS

Pee-Wee League Baseball, $200.
Veterans Day, $225.00.
Clear Lake Donation, $25.00.

VFW 1955 ACTIVITIES TO DATE

Donations to VA (cigarets), $39.30.
Patient's Party at VA, $25.00.
Child Welfare and Assistance (three families — eight children), $95.00.

This is a record to be proud of and both the American Legion and VFW Posts invite all former servicemen to join their organizations and make them an even greater force for good in the community.

Lavon Reservoir Shows Large Gain In Water

DALLAS, Tex. (INS). — The Corps of Engineers reported today that there is now 15 percent more water in government reservoirs in the Southwest than at this time last year.

Present total in reservoirs from the Mississippi to the continental divide is 7,113,000 acre feet.

The four reservoirs showing the largest gains were bull shoals and Norfork in Northern Arkansas and Southern Missouri, Tenkiller Ferry in Eastern Oklahoma and Lavon Reservoir near Dallas.

Lake Texoma, on the Oklahoma-Texas line, showed the greatest decrease.

Col. L. E. Seemen, division engineer, said the water now in storage fills more than 60 per cent of the total conservation storage space in the corps reservoirs.

Releases made during 1954 for municipal and industrial water supply, irrigation, and other uses totalled more than a million acre feet released through hydroelectric turbines.

Franklin Homeplace North Of McKinney Destroyed By Fire

The old Dow Franklin homeplace, located about six miles Northwest of McKinney in the Franklin-Bloomdale community, was destroyed by fire Thursday morning. Origin of the fire is unknown and was well underway before being discovered. Members of the family were away from home at the time, burning brush in a field nearly a mile from the house.

The McKinney Fire Department booster truck answered the call but the house was too far gone before they arrived.

Mrs. L. D. Franklin of McKinney is the former owner, having sold the place a few years ago. The Raney family occupied the place at the present time.

Ensign Bell Finishes Training In Officer Candidate School

Billy C. Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl P. Bell, of 308 North Morris Street, McKinney, Texas, is among the new Reserve Ensigns who graduated March 4 from Officer Candidate School, at Newport, R. I.

Attending the 19th Reserve Officer graduation ceremonies as principal speaker, was the Honorable Albert Pratt, assistant secretary of the Navy for Personnel and Reserve Forces, who also presented the Honor Students with their commissions.

The school included a four month indoctrination course in seamanship, operations and tactics, Naval weapons, Marine engineering, navigation, Uniform Code of Military Justice, and Naval orientation. These subjects are similar to those given NROTC units at Colleges and Universities throughout the country.

Graduates of the school are qualified to serve as Junior Officers aboard any of the Navy's warships or supporting commands.

Approximately 157 have been ordered to Navy flight, salvage, submarine, underwater demolition, and explosive ordnance disposal training.

House Burns East Of McKinney Monday

A house occupied by the Costello family, Latin Americans, burned to the ground Monday morning. The house is located East of the City Limits. Origin of the fire is unknown.

Workshop Held On Citizenship Education

Supt. Hailds Pearce was in Dallas Monday and Tuesday attending a workshop on Citizenship Education, which was held at SMU. Supt. Pearce was regional director of Northeast Texas for the workshop. Mrs. Paul Worden, elementary supervisor, and Mrs. Deroy Richardson, of McKinney, also attended the meeting.

The Teachers College of Columbia University, devised the Citizenship Education Project which was explained in workshop form in Dallas this week by James E. Solt, general assistant in the division of school relations at Columbia. The new plan is to teach young American citizens how to exercise the democratic freedoms they learn in school.

Using money from a Carnegie Foundation grant, the New York college set about to find ways to get schoolchildren in the habit of using those rights guaranteed them. The first step was to find out how others may be tackling the problem, so teachers all over the country were queried.

From the response of these teachers, the college compiled a list of 315 "musle-builders." Projects ranging from setting up youth traffic courts to adopting a home for the aged were listed in 28 categories.

These categories covered every possible phase of good citizenship.

Pvt. Wayne Bowers Is Doing Basic Training At Fort Carson, Colo.

Pvt. Wayne H. Bowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bowers, 703 Colorado Street, McKinney, has arrived at mile-high Fort Carson, Colo., at the foot of Pike's Peak, where he will undergo eight weeks of basic combat training.

Pvt. Bowers has been assigned for training with Company H of the famed 8th Infantry "Golden Arrow" Division's 13th Regiment.

His first eight weeks of training —rigorous, intensive and thorough —will stress the role of the infantryman in combat. A specially-trained corps of instructors—many of them seasoned combat veterans of World War II and the Korean conflict—will teach him how to defend himself and how to work with others as a fighting team. He will learn how to fire the M-1 rifle, the carbine and other light infantry weapons expertly. Bayonet drill will prepare him for close-combat fighting.

Parade drill, cross-country marches, overnight bivouacs and calisthenics will condition him physically for Army life. Also, he will receive practical instruction in mine detection, map reading and chemical, biological and radiological warfare. Much of his time will be spent in the classroom studying such subjects as tradition of the military service, sanitation, first aid, current events, personal hygiene, military courtesy and supply economy. All are designed to acquaint him fully with his new responsibilities as a soldier.

Fort Carson, named after the illustrious Indian fighter, Kit Carson, is located five miles South of the resort city of Colorado Springs at the foothills of the Rocky Mountains. It became a major Army installation in 1942, and a permanent post last August.

The 13th Infantry Regiment, one of the oldest fighting units in the service today, was activated 157 years ago in 1798. The regimental colors are honored with 16 battle streamers, ranging from the Indian Campaigns of the 19th Century to Normandy and the Ardennes of World War II. The regiment's motto is "First at Vicksburg," by decree of Gen. Ulysses S. Grant.

Fort Carson, the only military installation in the United States for training Army scout and sentry dogs, also is the home of the remaining Army mules, and headquarters for the renowned Mountain and Cold Wether Training Command.

Pair Picked Up By City Police Friday Night

City Officers Guy Alexander and Aubrey Mayse picked up a 22-year-old white man and a juvenile, Thursday night. The juvenile was turned over to proper authorities and the white man is being held by City Police for further investigation.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buell Shields were Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Shields, and family of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul White, and son, Ronny of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shields and son, Charles of Irving.

Coach Woodard To Speak At Mustang Corral Here Sunday

COACH WOODY WOODARD

Former students of Southern Methodist University living in Collin County are making plans for their annual Mustang Corral on Sunday, March 27, 3 p.m. in celebration SMU's Alumni-Founders' Day.

Mr. W. K. Penn, (president of the Collin County SMU Alumni Club) has announced that this year's Corral will be held at Jaycee Recreation Center beginning at 3 p.m. He urges all SMU men and women in this area to attend the Mustang Corral, which will be one of hundreds held at this same time all over the world. The following program for the local Corral has been announced: Coach Woody Woodard of S. M. U. will bring the program which will include a film on the Highlights of SMU's 1954 football games.

Mr. Penn states that the Corral Day is a tradition of nearly 30 years standing, a time for SMU Alumni to renew old acquaintances reminisce and have a good time.

Officers of the Collin County SMU Alumni are W. K. Penn (president), George Webb (vice-president), Mrs. Robert Hammon, secretary-treasurer, John Gay (Corral chairman).

During his two years as head coach of the Southern Methodist University Mustangs, Chalmer (Woody) Woodard has produced teams that have won 11 games, lost eight, and tied one. In addition to winning more than their share of the games, the Mustangs have won the admiration of fans of the Southwest by their fine sportsmanship and clean play.

Coach Woodard's Mustangs were the only Southwest Conference team to defeat the Conference's representative in the Cotton Bowl the past two years. They won from Rice 12 to 7 in 1953 and from Arkansas 21 to 14 in 1954.

Coach Woodard's fine record has been made against the strongest opposition faced by any team in the country. Last fall the Mustangs were the only team in the nation scheduled to play three of the five highest-ranked elevens.

A native of Kansas, Woodard participated in athletics at Valley High School in that state from 1932 to 1935 and then attended Southwestern College at Winfield, where he lettered in football four years and captained the team during his senior year.

After one year as assistant football coach at Kingman High School in Kansas, Woodard became head coach in 1940. Serving two years at Kingman, one year at Dodge City, and seven years at Lawrence Woodard compiled one of the greatest records ever made by a high school coach in Kansas. During the 10-year period his teams won 81 games, lost 10, and tied two. In six of the 10 years his teams were undefeated.

Coach Woodard became associated with McPherson College in 1950, and during his three years there before he came to SMU his football teams won 18 games, lost seven, and tied one.

Negro Division In Red Cross Drive Has Raised $50 Thus Far

At the second report meeting of the volunteer workers in the Negro Division, a total of $50.49 had been collected in the drive with each division only partially complete.

This group plans to collect $200 in this years drive and with the enthusiasm manifested by the workers and the contributors we believe they can oversubscribe their quota.

Quarterbackers Ready Field For Baseball Season

Capt. Audie Turrentine, of the McKinney Quarterback Club, announces the baseball field at Finch Park, is being cleaned up and put in condition for the opening of the season in the near future.

The Quarterback Club built the baseball park last summer, spending well over $2,000 for new steel bleachers, and other improvements including fencing in the park and putting the ground in condition. The field is lighted for night games.

The Pee-Wee League organized last year for young boys of the city, between 8 and 12 years of age, and sponsored by local civic and service groups, used the field throughout the summer. It is planned to organize the League again this year and begin play within a new few weeks.

The Quarterback Field is open to the public and may be used any week night. The Pee-Wee League will set up a schedule for nights' this park will be in use by that organization. Other nights are open to the public.

It will be remembered that last year Quarterback Field and Finch Park were among the most popular recreational spots in the city. Be the same this year.

Capt. Turrentine and his Quarterbackers will do most of the work of cleaning off the field and putting the place in condition for the coming baseball season.

McKinney Boy Is Student Teacher In Denton College

Nearly 300 students are working this semester as student teachers in the School of Education at North Texas State College, Denton.

The program is designed to give students practical knowledge in teaching, with supervision from an experienced teacher, before they take over a teaching job on their own.

During the course, usually taken in the senior year, the prospective teacher takes over the whole classroom program—prepares lessons, administers assignments, and carries out the testing program.

The student teacher is guided in and outside the classroom by a supervising teacher who helps in the planning, carrying out, and evaluation of the work. A college coordinator also works with the student teacher during the course.

Billy Earl Love of McKinney is among those enrolled in the student teaching program. The son of Mr .and Mrs. B. F. Love, 904 Standifer, he is a senior physical education major. He is teaching physical education at NTSC laboratory school.

Bratcher Completes Course In Embalming, Funeral Directing

John Bratcher, with the Fielder-Baker Funeral Home at Blue Ridge, has completed a course of study in the Dallas Institute of Morticians, which qualifies him as a licensed embalmer and funeral director. Fielder-Baker Funeral Home also operates in Farmersville and Wylie.

John as had a number of years' experience in funeral directing, having been formerly connected with the Lamm Funeral Home of Blue Ridge. He is in the hardware and furniture business there as well as bein; connected with the Fielder-Baker Funeral Home.

John is a wide-awake and likeable young man and has numerous friends throughout the county.

Brandy Norwood Elected Chief Denner In Cub Scout Pack At Sherman

Brandy Norwood, son of M-Sgt. and Mrs. Jack Norwood, of Sherman, has been elected Chief Denner of Cub Scout Den 9, Pack 14, in Sherman. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Murray, of McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Norwood, of Houston.

The Norwood family formerly resided in this city.

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...News From The... COUNTY AGENT

By V. L. DAHLBERG

INSECTS

Have you checked your small grain and alfalfa?

If you have not it may pay you to do so. We are having an outbreak of clover aphids in alfalfa. These aphids begin to work around the ground line and first attack the lower leaves, gradually working to the top of the plant. When they are first noticed considerable damage may already have been done. They will kill alfalfa if in sufficient numbers.

The corn leaf aphid is also woring in barley and several farmers have sprayed for control measures.

Wheat is also being attacked by the brown wheat mite and in a few cases is doing severe damage. This is not the same mite that we had on oats and wheat during the winter. The wheat mite is much more difficult to control requiring one quart of 25 percent Parathion to the acre for any degree of control.

For the aphids listed above either of two poisons may be used. Parathion one pint per acre in the amount of water your sprayer will apply per acre or Malathion one pint per acre with water. Crops sprayed with Parathion should not be harvested within 21 days after application or Malathion within 14 days after application.

Both of these poisons are dangerous if handled carelessly, but Malathion is the least dangerous of the two. Please follow manufacturers directions closely and remain out of poisoned fields for at least three days following application of poisons.

SUDANGRASS HELPS LICK SUMMER GRAZING SHORTAGE

Farmers can help lick their summer grazing problems with staggered plantings of sudangrass.

Sudangrass-with the aid of a little moisture—furnishes abundant grazing and allows livestock to lay off permanent pastures during hot weather. This "Layoff" period enables permanent pastures to rest and get a firm footing before the next grazing season.

Sudangrass is a vital link in any year-round grazing program and is gaining popularity among the state's farmers. One acre should be planted for each animal unit on the farm.

By first planting when frost danger passes followed with planting at three to four week intervals as long as moisture permits, grazing can be greatly extended through the summer.

"Some stockmen have had grazthrough ing from about six weeks after frost until just before frost in the fall." Different plantings must be fenced separately.

Sweet sudan is adapted to the entire state but does better in humid areas. Common and Tift are well adapted to Texas conditions.

Highest returns from temporary grazing are obtained through rotation. Concentrate on a small area, graze it off quickly, then move to another block.

With The Home Demonstration AGENT

By MRS LURLINE DASPIT

IF THEY BLOOM EARLY . . . PRUNE EARLY

When to prune and when not to prune is a problem which concerns many gardners, says Miss Sadie Hatfield, Homestead Improvement specialist for the Agricultural Extension Service.

An easy rule to remember is this: If shrubs bloom early, prune them early. The reason is fairly obvious. Early blooming shrubs start forming buds for next year's flowers right after their petals fall off in the spring.

Many of our most popular shrubs are early blooming, such as: bridal wreath, flowering peach, and flowerliing quince, sometimes called japonica. Red buds, golden bell and many others bloom even before leaves come out . . . waiting until late spring or early summer to cut back these early blooming plants will remove some of the blossoms which the plant has started to grow for next spring.

Just after it has bloomed is a good time to cut back pyracantha, says the specialist . . . it is easy to see where the berries will be formed next winter. These plants grow rapidly and often need severe pruning, so it may not be possible to save all the berries. Berries can be evenly distributed over the plant by cutting off limbs near the ground and at uneven heights. In good soil, pyracantha may need to be cut back every year. It is a good rule to cut back about ½ of the growth each year. This also applies to photinia and other large growing plants.

Right after pruning is a good time to feed the plants to get them started on making a crop of blooms for next year.

SHRIMP AMANDINE CASSEROLE

4 ounces elbow spaghetti
¼ cup butter or margarine
¾ cup blanched silvered almonds
2 tablespoons chopped green pepper
¼ cup enriched flour
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon caraway seeds
2 cups milk
1 cup cooked cleaned shrimp
½ cup cooked whole kernel corn
buttered bread crumbs

Cook spaghetti in boiling salted water until tender (about 8 minutes). Drain and rinse. While spaghetti is cooking, melt butter or margarine in saucepan. Add almonds and green pepper and brown lightly. Stir in flour, salt and caraway seeds. Add milk and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Fold in spaghetti, shrimp and corn and mix until well blended. Pour into 1 ½-quart casserole. Top with buttered bread crumbs. Bake in moderate oven (350 degree) 25 minutes. Makes four servings.

MAKE THE MOST OF RICE

Rice is a source of excellent vegetable or incomplete protein, so team it with meat or other animal foods in order to get its full nutritional value, says Frances Reasonover, food and nutrition specialist of the Agricultural Extension Service.

Breakfast dishes that team these foods together are rice pancakes, rice cooked in milk, rice muffins, or plain rice served with an egg or meat.

For dinner or supper, there are dishes such as oriental chickey pilaf, meat sauces and rice, pork chop casserole, rice pudding, rice and fish soup, and many others that combine the cereal and animal proteins.

For a "meal in a soup bowl" try this rice and fish dish: in a large saucepan or soup kettle, mix together 1 cup uncooked white rice, 1 9-ounce can tomato sauce, 1½ cups uncooked fresh, frozen, or canned mixed vegetables, 1 pound unthawed frozen fish fillets cut into long pieces, 3 teaspoons salt, ¼ teaspoon black pepper, and 3 cups water. Bring the mixture to a vigorous boil. Turn the heat as low as possible. Cover with a lid and leave over this low heat 20 minutes. Add water if a thinner soup is desired.

Swine Management, Feeding Program At Princeton School

George Clark, vocational agriculture teacher of the Princeton school, is holding a Swine Management and Feeding program tonight, at the High School there. The meeting opens at 7:30 o'clock.

E. R. Udley, formerly of Texas A&M College, will be the principal speaker. Everyone interested is invited to attend the meeting.

Princeton FFA Boys Plan Annual Project Show There Saturday

The Princeton FFA Chapter will hold their annual project show Saturday, March 29 at 1 p.m. The show will feature dairy cattle, swine, beef cattle and sheep.

The general public is invited to attend the show.

4-H Club Girls Plan Activities For April

Mrs. Luline Daspit, county home demonstration agent, announces that plans are underway for the annual 4-H Club girls contest on foods, gardening, safety and public speaker to be held April 2.

The 4-H Club style revue will be held on April 26. Further details of these two events will be made later.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob McCarley visited er sister in Bells, Sunday.

NEW VOTER

IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wolfe, 1209 Rockwall St., McKinney, are rejoicing over a baby son, Darrell Glenn, born March 16. He weighed 8 pounds and 14 ounces, and was born in the Mitchell Clinic, here.

IT'S A GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne L. Stinson, of Plano, are the proud parents of a baby daughter born March 20 in the Mitchell Clinic, this city. She has been named Helen Louise and she weighed 5 pounds and 12 ounces.

IT'S A GIRL

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kennedy of this city on March 20 in the Mitchell Clinic. The little miss, tipping the scales at 7 pounds and 8 ounces, has been named Doris Ann.

IT'S TWINS

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Roy Griffin, of Westminster, are the proud parents of twin sons. The father is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Griffin while the young mother is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Todd, all of Westminster.

IT'S A BOY

Mrs. W. R. Hollis received an announcement Friday of the arrival of a grandson, William Lee Hankla, born March 18 in Clearfield, Utah. The little fellow tipped the scales at 6 pounds and 13 ounces. The new arrival is the son of Lieutenant and Mrs. Walter Hankla of Clearfield, where the father is stationed at Hill Air Force Base. Mrs. Hankla is the former Miss Ann Hollis of McKinney. Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Hankla of Breckenridge are the paternal grandparents.

IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pope of Dallas are the proud parents of a baby son born March 15. Mr. and Mrs. Lon Pope of Weston are the paternal grandparents.

IT'S A GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Don Sheffield, of this city, are rejoicing over a baby daughter, born this week in a Dallas Hospital. Mrs. Sheffield and daughter will return to their home here within a few days.

IT'S A GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coulter, of Frisco, are the proud parents of a baby girl born March 8, in the City-County Hospital.

Youth From First Baptist Attend Ft. Worth Conference

A group of young people from the First Baptist Church attended the Mission Conference in Fort Worth Sunday afternoon. A chartered bus took the group from the church here at 12:15 noon Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Dada and Mrs. J. M. Whisenant, as chaperones. The group took picnic lunches and arrived in Fort Worth in time to hear Dr. Baker James Cawthon, executive secretary of the Foreign Mission Board and former head of mission work in the Orient, as well as other noted speakers. Dick Baker was in charge of the music for the conference which was attended by over 6,000 young people.

Those attending from McKinney, other than the chaperones, were Gaylon Wilson, Dan McClure, William Ballou, Joe Powell, Don Mitchell, Ann Dowdy, Sonja Pickett, Cherry Capps, Bob Byrd, Ann Browne, Jane Griffin, James Sanders, Bob West, Ann McKinney, Beth Finney, Jane Wallace, Monty Landers, Linda Zimmerman, Donna Merriman, Denny Horn, and Jerry Byrd.

Jobs Open For Air-Craft Assemblers: Inquire At TEC Here

Dennis Scott, manager of the Texas Employment Commission office in McKinney, has been notified by the Dallas office that there are several openings for experienced aircraft assemblers. Anyone interested in this type work may get further information at the local Texas Employment Commission office, 218 North Kentucky Street.

Pat Starnes, who has been on cruise for the past six months, on the USS Helena, is home for a 20-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Starnes.

Carl Marion son of Mrs. Bratton Shoulders, of Frisco, has gone to California to train in the U. S. Army.

Dr. Evans Gives Address At Noon Federation Meet

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Over 200 North Texas club women registered at the Second District Federation of Women's Clubs convention which opened Tuesday morning at the First Methodist Church. The convention will continue through Thursday.

During the registration period coffee was served in the church parlor where a "Pan-American" theme was carried out in decorating the refreshment table. Calla lilies, which had been dyed red, together with Mexican figurines were used most effectively. Mrs. John Hooper was general chairman for the coffee, while Mrs. Sy Gostin was chairman for the decorating committee. Assisting in serving coffee and sweet rolls were Mrs. Jake Dyer, Mrs. Imogene Brockman, Mrs. Harry Hoy and Mrs. Gladys Jackson.

Mrs. W. R. Elliott, of Waxahachie, president of Second District presided over the day's meeting, with Mayor R. F. Newsome and W. T. Dungan, president of the Chamber of Commerce, bringing words of welcome. Mrs. Joe McKinney, general chairman for the two-day meeting, also expressed a welcome to the visiting club women.

One of the features of the Tuesday meeting was the "Art of Living' luncheon at 12:15 o'clock, at which time Dr. Medford Evans, former member of the Atomic Energy Commission was the principal speaker. A short musical program given by Miss Geraldine Bass, flutist, with Miss Rubyrae Foster, as accompanist, was given during the luncheon period.

"The Art of Living" was the subject of Dr. Evans' talk in which he brought out the following points:

LIVING REQUIRES ART

"You cannot just do what comes naturally. There is no exact science of living. The objective of living is obedience to the commandments of God which are two: to love God and to love one's neighbor as oneself. This love is expressed by the use of one's talents in the service of the needy and the glorification of God. The use of talent requires art."

JUST STAYING ALIVE REQUIRES ART

"The art of living includes the art of dying. Indeed since the only thing certain is that we shall die, the most important part of the art of living is the art of dying. This requires repentance of sin and acceptance of salvation. Nothing else is really essential, but a related attitude seems to be that one does note either take extravagant precautions against death or indulge suicidal impulses. To stay alive as long as possible and yet not be cowardly or selfish is itself quite an art

DEFENSE IS AN ART

"It is natural to want to defend onself. Effective defense requires skill—art. Since we must love our neighbor as ourselves we must also defend our neighbor. Pacifism is not love of others but shirking of responsibility. What would you think of a father who let a snake bite his child because he did not want to hurt the snake?

THE LARGE UNIT OF DEFENSE IS THE NATION

"It is almost a definition of a nation to say that it is a group of people who maintain a defense establishment. The origin of the word suggests kinship, but many things lead people into this kind of community. A dictatiorial empire results when proper nations lose their defense and are exploited by a highly organized aggregative group such as the CP. If proper nations are prepared to defend themselves against—yes, each other, a state of equilibrium may ensue. Neglect of defense by one may tempt another to improper aggression.

"The defense of all proper nations today is threatened by the Soviet Union and Red China under the management of the Communist Party.

"The balance against this threat is the military power of the U. S. This power is based primarily on atomic weapons.

"The greatest threat to the U. S. and thus to all proper nations, is the subversion of the U. S. atomic weapons arsenal."

The Fine Arts Dinner will be given tonight at the First Christian Church at 6:15 o'clock. A program of music will be enjoyed during the dinner hour.

At 8:15 o'clock the group will return to the First Methodist auditorium for an address by Clarence E. Manion, former Dean of Notre Dame University and an authority on Constitutional Law. This meeting is open to the general public and will be followed by a reception in the church Fellowship Hall as 9:30.

Northwest Collin Farmer Is Sodding Waterways This Year

Marvin Bunch who lives on the Jesse Mae Owsby farm, north of Celina, is now sodding some waterways. On this farm, both the operator and owner are interested in providing safe, grassed outlets for terraces. Where wateways ae sodded this sring, the grass mkes a good stand and cover, terraces can be built this fall.

Dr. J. C. Erwin established several good waterways on his farm the past two years, sodded them with the common or native Bermudagrass. This spring he sodded one waterway with Costal Bermuda, using roots which were brought in from Georgia. Costal Bermuda is a hybrid which was developed at a Georgia experimental station several years ago, and one of its characteristics is its high forage yield.

A much-discussed conservation topic now is the handling of winter cover crops. Winter peas and vetch have in most causes made a very nice growth this season. If this growth of legumes is to result in maximum benefits to the soil and to the following crops, the growth should be killed and left on top of the grund. In this way it will cure it into mostly dray stems and litter. Thus, when the plant growth is not turned under, it is not forced to go through the heating and rotting process before the cover crop is killed usually within two or three weeks. Successful farmers over the state are finding that cover crops can be left to make their maximum growth, and can then be handled easily if the residue is left on top of the ground as mulch to decay slowly.

Jeff and Murphy Lee are planting several hundred pounds of Madrid and Hubam clovers on their farms at Cottage Hill. They have used clover for soil improvement for a number of years, and are well sold on its benefits to soil structure.

After A. E. McGraw finished sodding three waterways recently, he stated, "It wasn't near as hard a job as I thought it would be. I am now going to sod several acres of pasture t Bermuda." Mr. McGraw is also constructing a pond on his farm near Culeoka.

J. C. Owensby has just completed sodding two waterways on his farm south of Celina. He plans to use these grass strips for terrace outlet when terraces are built next fall.

Methodists At Frisco Plan New Educational Building There Soon

There was a called church conference Sunday night, March 20, to hear reports and recommendations from the building and finance committees concerning the erecting of a new educational building. The quarterly conference of the Frisco Methodist Church had previously unanimously elected the members of the two committees.

The recommended plans were explained fully by Raymond Gill, architect. The plans include eight classrooms, a large nursery, fellowship hall, pastor's study and work room, kitchen, rest rooms, and closet and storage space.

Murrell Rogers, finance chairman, presented the recommended plans for successfully financing the building. Other members of this committee were Mrs. Carter Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. James Brooks, and Mr. Henry Vandiver. The committee recommended to the church the Broadway plan of church finance, which was thoroughly explained by record, question and answer, and discussion.

Following a full discussion of building and finance recommendations, the motion was made by Bill Rhea and the second was by Mrs. Charles Smith: "That we accept the recommendation of the plans as submitted by the building committee and that we use the Broadway plan of church finance as recommended by the finance committee, having at least half of the needed amount for the construction of the building in the bank before we begin actual construction." The standing vote was unanimous in favor of the motion.

Rev. Bill Betts, pastor, was the acting chairman in accordance with the Discipline of the Methodist Church. James Brooks was secretary for the conference.

It is expected that construction ofthe building on the west side of the church should begin not later than June 1.

Rev. Charles Dunfan and family, attended services Sunday at Weston where he preached at the Baptist Church in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wade and sons, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Erven Bolin, at Allen.

Misses Tallant And Cantrell Princeton Homecoming Queens

MISS WANDA TALLANT
High School Queen

RAE ANN CANTRELL
Grade School Queen

The crowning of the High School Queen, Wanda Tallant, and the Grade School Queen, Rae Ann Cantrell, will be a featured activites of the Princeton High School on March 26 at 7:30 p. m.

Miss Tallant, a senior in Princeton High, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tallant while Miss Cantrell, a student in the sixth grade, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cantrell.

Doug Dinsmore will escort Miss Tallant, and Raymond Woodard will be Miss Cantrell's escort. Representatives from the other grades who will be in the court are:

IE, Kay Mansfield, Danny Cantrell.

1A, Gary Carr, Timothey Gilbert.

II B Rita Davis, Stevie Seals.

II A, Elaine Dent, Larry Welborn.

III, Glenda Wright, Phil Mack.

IV B, Charlotte McElroy, Ira McCormick.

IV A, Mary Tiller, J. H. Culverhouse.

V A, Marion Davis, James Tallant.

VI Sharron Abbot, Glen Godwin.

VII, Malinda Campbell, Curtis Morrow.

VIII, Malinda Campbell, Curtis Morrow.

IX, Betty Talley, Hugh McGee.

X Valda Brewer, Pete Tallant.

XI, Sue Langston, Jerry Godwin.

Wendle Ray Hogge Dies Sunday In City-County Hospital

Wendle Ray Hogge, 26, of Route 5, McKinney, died Sunday at 11:15 a.m. in the City-County Hospital. He was born November 28, 1929 the son of William and Ludie Donaldson Hogge.

Surviving are his parents, three brothers, Aubrey and Jimmy Hogge, both of Dallas; Billie Hogge of Seminole, and four sisters: Mrs. Nole Cooper of Lamesa; Mrs. R. B. Burch of Dallas; Mrs. Luther Smith, of Route 5, McKinney and Mrs. H. L. Burkhalter of Houston.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, at 3 p.m., in the Baptist Church at Clearlake, conducted by Rev. Alvin Dyer, of Murphy, and Rev. Billy Joe Harris, of Sasche, with interment in the Clearlake Cemetery, Crouch-Moore Funeral Home in charge.

Gerald Gaulden Wins Trophy For Tickets Sold To Style Show

Gerald Gaulden, Boyd High School senior, was awarded the trophy again this year by the D. E. Club for having sold the largest number of tickets to this year's D. E. Fashion Revue. Gaulden sold 148 tickets to win the award for the second consecutive year.

The trophy was given by the White Jewelry Store.

Clyde Turner, of Westminster, has been on the sick list.

Mother Of Mrs. Murdock Cooper Passes Away Sunday

Mrs. T. G. Blocker, 69, of Galveston, passed away in that City Sunday at 12:45 o'clock noon, after a short illness. She had lived in Galveston since December 1.

She was born June 11, 1885 in Cookville, Tenn., her maiden name being Mary Ann Johnson. She had lived in Texas for 45 years, residing in Sherman from 1911 to 1937, moving to Fort Worth where she lived until last December. She was married to Truman G. Blocker October 3, 1905, and was a member of the First Methodist Church, Fort Worth. She was also a talented artist and former pupil of the late Frank Klepper, of McKinney and Dallas.

Survivors include her husband, T. G. Blocker; a son, Dr. T. G. Blocker Jr., of Galveston, and a daughter, Mrs. C. M. Cooper Jr., of McKinney; a sister, Mrs. J. Paul Smith, of Fort Worth; a brother, Jim Johnson, of Cookville, Tenn.; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in the Gause-Ware Funeral Home, Fort Worth, at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, after which interment will be made in Pecan Grove Cemetery, McKinney, at 1 p.m. Rev. Harry Hoy, pastor of the First Methodist Church, conducted brief graveside services. The Harris Funeral Home had charge of arrangements here.

Ira Crosswhite Dies At VA Hospital After Extended Illness

Ira Crosswhite, 65, Route 1, Celina, died in the VA Hospital here Saturday at 10:45 p.m. after a long illness. He was born June 16, 1889 in Parker County, Kansas but had resided in Collin County a number of years where he engaged in farming. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

His survivors are his wife, Mrs. Abbie Crosswhite, two sons, Glenn Crosswhite of Garland; Rex Crosswhite, of Celina, and a daughter, Mrs. Wanda Leach, of Dallas. Three brothers and five sisters and five grandchildren, also survive.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2:30 p.m. at the Cottage Hill Church conducted by Rev. Kenneth Thomas, pastor of the Celina Methodist Church, and Maynard Atkins, minister of the Church of Christ there. Interment was in Cottage Hill Cemetery, directed by Helms Funeral Home.

Home Economist For Lone Star Gas Co. Gives Laundry Hints

Overnight soaking of clothes in cold water as a preliminary to washing has become a thing of the past, according to Miss Betty Salem, Lone Star Gas Company home economist.

"It has been found that excessive soaking not only puts the dirt back into the fabric," Miss Salem said, "but also defeats the hygienic purpose of laundering.

"Studies show that soaking longer than 10 or 15 minutes permits the water to cool and hinders the cleansing action of the soap. Hot wate ropens the fabric mesh in most materials, permitting soap suds to circulate and loosen dirt, at the same time helping the soap to emulsify oil and grease.

"Dirt uses up soap, which cleanses by surrounding the loosened dirt particles and holding them in suspension for a short time. This makes it important that the homemaker use enough soap to perform this function under any and all home laundry conditions."

Rev. Roberts, Speaker At Waddill Street Baptist Revival

REV. C. A. ROBERTS

Rev. C. A. Roberts is the evangelist at the Waddill Street Baptist Church revival, March 20 through April 3.

Brother Roberts is an outstanding young evangelist who has become popular among congregations of many of the leading Baptist churches in the Southwest.

The services are held 7:30 nightly.

Rev. Tommy Watson is the pastor.

Texas Textile Mills Signs AgreementWith Waco Union Workers

WACO, Tex. — Texas Textile Mills and Local 383, Textile Workers Union of America (CIO) today signed a new two-year agreement affecting approximately 320 production workers at the Waco plant.

The new agreement is the second agreement which has been completed recently by Texas Textile Mills and TWUA (CIO), a new two-year agreement affecting approximately 615 production workers at the firm's McKinney, Texas, plant having been signed on February 28.

Terms of the new agreement, almost identical with the terms reached at the McKinney plant, were reached after approximately six months of negotiations. Giles E. Miller, president of Texas Textile Mills, and Boyd Payton, the union's Southern Director headed the negotiators at the final negotiating session.

McTee Installs New Awnings In Front Of Local Drug Stores

Charles McTee, of the McTee Mattress and Awning Company, has just recently completed the installation of attractive new awnings at two stores on the public square.

One of these awnings was placed in front of the North Side Pharmacy, on the North Side of the square, while the other one is at the Smith Drug Store on the East side of the public square.

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Parents Of Pfc. Jane Doe Visit Daughter At Training Center

(Editor's Note: The item below is the eleventh in a series of articles offering information about the new WAC Center at Fort McClellan, Alabama.

XI. PARENTS VISIT PFC DOE AT WAC CENTER.

Shortly before Private First Class Jane Doe was scheduled to graduate from the WAC Clerical Procedures and Typing Course—and after many letters to her parents in which she wrote in glowing terms of the facilities and beauties of the new WAC Center—Mr and Mrs. Doe one morning boarded an airliner for Anniston, Alabama In the warmth of that afternoon's sun, they arrived at Fort McClellan and were met by their enthusiastic daughter, who immediately launched them on an impatient tour of the campus-like government reservation.

Pft. Doe watched, with pride, their pleased reactions to the sight of rolling hills, tree-shaded lawns, soft, cream-colored buildings, the grass-covered parade ground and paved streets and sidewalks.

Mr. and Mrs. Doe then called upon Jane's chaplin and it was with pleasure that they learned that all WACs are encouraged to attend the church of their religious choice. They visited the Post Chapels and viewed the facilities arranged for Protestant, Catholic and Jewish services. The Chaplan also gave them many sidelights on the various opportunities women have to take part in their church's activities, just as they did at home.

In their tour of the hospital area, the medical care program was carefully explained, and it was gratifying to Mr. and Mrs. Doe (as it would be to the parents of all servicewomen) to be assured that the health of each WAC is carefully guarded. A physical training program is designed to keep them in the best possible physical condition and regular physical examination by Army doctors have proved their value as the "ounce of prevention." A special dispensary is available to the WACs, and the well-equipped and well-staffed hospital on the Post provides any additional medical, dental and optical care which might be necessary.

The next day, a cat with the Special Services Section gave them this insight into the Recreation Program at the Center: In the off-duty hours the AS's have a wide choice among the various amusement facilities at Fort McClellan.

Through the Center Special Service, sightseeing trips are arranged and tickets may be obtained for concerts, the opera, and sports events in adjacent cities.

The modernly furnished barracks each have a large company dayroom (lounge) and a reception room where the trainees and students may meet their dates on the first floor. The Center has its own theater, swimming pool, spors tournaments, and Service Club. The Club ,with its large ballroom, cafeteria, snack bar, music and TV rooms, and well-equipped Hobby Shop is a most popular place for informal relaxation and fun for the Army men and women.

A community's shopping center is duplicated at the Post Exchange where all services usually found in a suburban center are available. It is here where the WAC Beauty Shop, dray cleaning establishment, laundry and shoe repair shops are handily located.

Mr. and Mrs. Doe encountered many women who had reported to the Center for refresher training, uniform issue and other neccessary procedures leading to assignment, because training was indicated in their cases. Most of thee women were former WACs who had had re-enlisted following a number of years out of the service and it was felt necessary to re-acquaint them with many of the Army's procedures.

They also visited and talked with instructors of the Non-Commissioned Officer's Cure. Undoubtedly Private First Class Jane Doe would someday attend this course, and they were all interested to learn its functions. It was explained that the NCO Course is not a school course, but one designed solely to fill the need for basic training personnel. Propected to last five weeks, the Course approaches subject matter from the practical point of things a platoon sergeant must know and do. The instruction during the Course is practical and realistic, utilizing the theories of exercise and application of what the Course teaches.

Kathy Tilton Celebrates 6th Birthday

Kathy Tilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tilton, of Melissa, celebrated her sixth birthday recently at her home there. About 25 of her little friends were envited to enjoy the outdoor games.

Refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream and cold drinks were served. The cake was in the shape of a lamb and was very attractive.

Kathy was remembered with many lovely gifts from her friends.

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Mrs. Graves Hostess To Garden Club

The McKinney Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. Jesse Graves, with Mrs. R. A. Furr and Mrs. A. L. Cole as co-hostess. The president, Miss Bernice Chandler presided and Mrs. Hugh Straughan, secretary, recorded the minutes. Mrs. Johnny Kissinger and Mrs. Ed West were welcomed into the club as new members.

Plans were made for the club to attend the Flower Show in Fort Worth on March 29. Mrs. Murphy was elected delegate to the Denton flower show.

The program for the afternoon was on "Flower Arrangement for the Tea Table" made by Mesdames Graves and Furr. Mrs. Fred Barnes brought an interesting talk on Iris.

The hostesses passed a delightful salad plate to 17 members.

Mrs. Nell Joslin, of Burrow, visited her sister, Mrs. G. L. Hill, and children, at Garland, recently.

Dr. J. L. Highsaw Is Speaker For Home-Coming At Princeton

Dr. J. L. Highsaw will be the principal speaker at the Homecoming of ex-students of the Princeton High Scool, which will be held there this coming week. The homecoming banquet will be held Saturday evening, March 26 and is expected to draw a large number of former students and teachers.

J. L. Highsaw, Sr., outstanding American Educator, Principal of the Memphis Technical High School for the last thirty-seven years is a native of Delta County, Texas. His grandfather the Rev. J. S. Ashley, and his great grandfather, James Ashley, on his mother's side settled in Delta County in the early 1840's. His Grandfather was also a surveyor for the Republic of Texas and was an intimate friend of Sam Houston. His Grandfather, above spoken of, was in the Christain Ministry for fifty-six years.

At the age of 14, his family moved from Texas to Oklahoma, and settled in Cleveland County, remaining there for only a brief period of some two years however, the son, J. L. was a student at the State University of Oklahoma from 1901 to 1904. In the intervening years he attended other colleges, but came back to Oklahoma in his senior year and received his BA Degress with Phi Betta Kappa Honors on June 8, 1911.

From 1904 to 1910 he was a teacher in Collin County. Taught his first school at Clear Lake fifty years ago. This part of his history was celebrated in the Golden Jubilee Program given by the Memphis Technical High School on October 29th, 1954. While in Collin County he also taught at Celina and Princeton. He was principal of the Princeton School in 1908 and 1909, worked up the independent school district for Princeton, and was the leader for the movement to establish a new school. He did all the legal work on bonds, and was responsible for the first unit of the present high school plant.

He moved to Memphis, Tennessee in Sept. 1912 and was for six years the head of the Social Science Dept. of the Memphis Central High School. He founded the Technical School in 1918 and has been its principal ever since. He has signed more than ten thousand diplomas from the Memphis Tech School and has had more than seventy-five thousand students attend his school during his principalship.

He is well known over the entire country. He was seen and heard last year by television from Hollywood California on the famous Ralph Edwards Show, "This Is Your Life," by more than one hundred million people, in both the May and August program. He made quite a hit in Hollywood.

His wife is the former Miss May Baker of Oklahoma, shares with him all of his plans and ambitions. They have two married sons, James and Robert and five Grandchildren. James is an attorney at law in Washington and Robert is a member of the faculty of the University of Alabama.

Mr. Highsaw is an eloquent speaker and the citizens of Princeton have a treat waiting for them when he delivers his address to the Princeton Alumni Homecomming Saturday Night March 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Duvall and Mike Ramos, of Cottage Hill, attended a birthday celebration at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Duvall, of Lewisville, honoring Mrs. T. B. Duvall, on er 93rd birthday.

Mrs. J. W. Gribble and Mrs. Saphronia Cox, of Lebanon, visited the former's daughter, Mrs. T. C. King, and family, in Dallas, recently.

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Ennis Garden Club Invites Visitors To Bluebonnet Trails

The Ennis Garden Club expreses appreciation to the thousands who come every year to enjoy with us the beauty of Texas State Flower at its most specular best, during our Blubonnet Trail held every April.

For the fourth consecutive year the Garden Club announces plans for the Blubonnet Trails, some 50 well-planned miles of natural beauty through Texas most lush Bluebonnet country. No section of the state has a more abundant growth and this year promises to be the best as the flowers are more numerous and more luxuriant. The past two years have been a little disappointing due to weather conditions, but this year it seems the elements are uniting to favor us with the greatest display possible.

The Ennis Garden Club extends an invitation to all to come and drive over three well-marked trails on all-weath, farm-to-market roads which wind in and out of the city in all directions. Information will be available at a downtown information booth to be operated under the auspices of the Garden Club. During the week, information will be available at service stations on the two main highways leading into Ennis, U S. 75. and 287.

This is a non-profit project aimed at conservation of one of the state's often overloked natural attractins. It is absolutely free. No charge is made for the maps or for any services connected with the Trails. The entire citizenship of Ennis will be ready to welcome you and make your spring outing a memorable one.

Two week-ends will be designated as soon as it can be determined when the flowers will be in full bloom, and you will be notified of these dates as soon as possible.

You may spend an hour or a day driving over the Trails, according to your own pleasure and the time you have. One of the Trains is quite short and nearby, while the others are of varying length. We assure you of a pleasant outing during The Bluebonnet Trains sponsored by The Ennis Garden Club.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the J. R. Frisby home, of Cottage Hill, were Wade Timmons and daughters, Ann and Joy, of McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ross Pell and children, Joyce, Billy Wayne, and Gary, of Celina; Carl Cauthron and son, Darry, of Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goforth, of Snyder, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goforth, at Blue Ridge, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Dunn, at McKinney.

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Melissa Garden Club Elects New Officers

The Melissa Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. Melvin Gotcher. Mrs. N. D. Ready, president, called the meeting to order. Members answered roll call by naming a week, and how to eradicate it.

Mrs. Gordon Dysart of Dallas was guest speaker, discussing "Flower Arrangements." She illustrated her interesting talk by making several arrangements which proved very helpful.

Officers were elected for the new year as follows:

President, Mrs. J. E. Dickerson.
First vice president, Mrs. Joe C. Moore.
Second vice president, Melvin Gotcher.
Secretary, Mrs. John McVeigh.
Treasurer, Mrs. Homer Phillips.
Reporter, Miss Doris Gibson.
Historian, Mrs. H. S. Wysong.

The hostesses, Mrs. W. M. Gibson, Miss Doris Gibson and Mrs. Gotcher, served a salad plate to 20 members.

Couple Are Honored On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ashley were honored with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dub Talkington, 1600 Nelson Street, Thursday evening, the occasion being their 54th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Barnes, assisted in entertaining.

During the evening ice cream and cake were served, a St. Patrick's motif being used in decorations. The honorees were presented with a lamp as an anniversary gift.

Those enjoying the party were Mrs. Bill Parman, Mr. and Mrs. Nona Hale, Mrs. Lela Johnson, Mrs. Fannie Jones, Mrs. Mollie Phillips, Mrs. H. M. Bryant, Mrs Hattie Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Deal, Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Vessie Johnson, Rick and Bobby Talkington, Linda and Jimmie Johnson, Rodney Barnes, Coy Davis, the hosts and Mr. and Mrs. Ashley. The only out-of-town guest was Mrs. Schroeppel of Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McHone, of Westminster, had as their guests recently their children from Fort Worth and Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Phillips, of Frisco, visited in Pinkton, Texas with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Warren and children.

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Princeton Girl To Be Married On March 25

MRS. MINNIE SPRUILL

Mr. and Mrs. Willie L. Pitts, of Princeton, announce the approaching marriage of there daughter, Mrs. Minnie Louise Spruill to Mr. Richard G. Champ, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aric W. Champ of Grandfield, Oklahoma.

The wedding will be solemionized Friday, March 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Junction, Texas. The Reverend B. W. Mantooth pastor of the church will be the officiating minister.

The future Mrs. Champ is teaching in the Junction Elementary Schools, and will receive her B. M. E. Degree from Howard Payne College of Brownwood, Texas in May. The groom is music and educational director of the First Baptist Church of Junction while being a Junior Music Education Major at Howard Payne of Brownwood.

Mrs. Crigger Is Hostess To Anna Club

Mrs. Dwight Crigger was gracious hostess to the March meeting of the Anna Garden Club.

The Red Cross drive, which the club sponsors, was discussed and workers were assigned for different parts of the community.

The hostess assisted by Mrs. C F. Hendrix and Mrs. Bill Bryant served delicious refreshments.

Miss Eva Bryan attended a birthday dinner recently honoring her aunt, Miss Lizzie Ereckson, of Plaon, on her 85th birthday, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newt Webb of Richardson.

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Noino Club Of Princeton Has Program

The Princeton Noino Study Club met Thursday evening in the lovely new home of Mrs. W. P. McWillaims.

During the program, Sharon Abbott and Johnnie Lou Lacy entertained the group with piano music. Mrs. A. J. Fineout was the guest speaker for the evening. She gave a talk about Ireland, after which she showed a movie of Ireland.

After the meeting adjourned Mrs. McWilliams served delicious refreshments to those present. Miss Louise Warren wa a welcome visitor.

Melissa P-TA Elects New Officers

The P-TA of the Melissa school was held in the gymnasium there March 3. The first, second and third grade pupils, sponsored by their teachers, Miss Corinne Gibson and Mrs. Jewel Bradley, gave an interesting program.

During the business meeting new officers were elected as follows:

President, Mrs. Raymond Graves.
First vice president, Mrs. Don Cleland.
Second vice president, Clyde Tolton.
Third vice president, Mrs. J. M. Scribner.
Fourth vice president, Mrs. Roy Jenkins.
Secretary, Mrs. Dewitt Luscomb.
Parliamentarian, Mrs. Elizabeth McVey.
Historian, Mrs. Cordelia Moon.
Reported, Mrs. Sherman Taylor.

Chambersville 4-H Club Girls Meet Tuesday

The 4-H Club girls at Chambersville met March 15 at the school in that community. Fourteen members were present.

Mrs. L. A. Billings met with the club during which time the program for the next meeting was discussed and outlined.

Sue Carter, reporter.

Mrs. Luther Duncan and Mrs. James Brooks food leaders of the Home Demonstration club, prepared and served an oven meal for members and visitors recently in the home of Mr. J. W. Gribble, at Lebanon.

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Mrs. Burton Is Honored By Local Club

Seventeen members of the Edelweiss Club answered roll call Friday when "Fun Day" was observed in the home of Mrs. Gibson Caldwell. A skit was presented by Mesdames J. F. McWilliams, Lawrence McMillan, Julius Smith, John Gastrock and Robert Williams, with Mrs. Frank Martin as narrator. The skit was dedicated to Mrs. E L. Burton, first president of the club, and was climaxed with the presentation of a scroll to Mrs. Burton.

Three guests were present for the day's program including Mrs. W. C. Brooks, Mrs. Adam Bond and Miss Nan Dyer. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Grady Jackson and Mr. Jake Dyer.

Many beautiful flowers adorned the attractive home one of which was sent by Mrs. Wallace Hughston, an inactive member.

The resolutions, presented to Mrs. Burton, follow:

THE STATE OF TEXAS
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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENT:

Whereas, the Edelweiss Club, McKinney, Texas, was organized in 1898, and

Whereas, Mrs. E. L. Burton was the organizer and a charter member of said Club, and

Whereas, the said Mrs. E. L. Burton has unselfishly devoted her talents and industry to the organization, guidance and success of said Club, and

Whereas, the membership of said Club, by unanimous resolution, desires to express its appreciation:

Now, therefore, we the undersigned, being so duly authorized hereunto, do by these presents grant, give and tender to the said Mrs. E. L. Burton a Paid-up Life Membership in the Edelweiss Club, McKinney, Texas.

To certify which, witness our hands this the 18th day of March, 1955.

MRS. JOHN W. GASTROCK
President, Edelweiss Club
Attest:
MRS. JULIUS G. SMITH
Secretary

Tommy Andrews Has Party On Birthday

Tommy Andrews, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Andrews, celebrated his second birthday Thursday with a party at his home, 803 West Howell Street.

A St. Patrick's motif was used to decorate the birthday cake which was served with ice cream. Easter bunnies were given as favors.

Those enjoying the party with Tommy were Kathy Lane, Patty, Sandy and David Veigel, Christ Rampy, Rev. Minter Terrell and C. W. Rampy. Mrs. Tommy Lane assisted Mrs. Andrews in serving.

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Ed Cann, of Rochester, New York, was a guest in the home of Mrs. J. M. Muse here recently.

Mrs. R. Caldwell visited in Dallas Thursday afternoon.

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Newlyweds Return From Aspen, Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. David E. Oliver have returned to Dallas to live following a wedding trip to Aspen, Colo. The bride is the former Miss Margaret Wynn Kizer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kizer, of Dallas. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Oliver of Copeville, this county.

Mrs. Oliver attended Baylor University School of Nursing where she was a member of Beta Sigma Phi. Mr. Oliver is a former student of SMU.

The couple were married February 25, in Dallas, at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. O. C. Robinson Jr. officiated, and the wedding music was presented by Mrs. W. A. Mahaffey.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a light grey flannet suit with black accessories and a small beaded white hat. She carried a white Bible, topped with a white orchid.

Mrs. Michael B. Crowson and W. A. Mahaffey were the attendance.

Junior High P-TA Program Is Held

The L. A. Scott Junior High School Parents-Teachers Association had the regular monthly meeting Thursday night March 10 in the auditorium of the Junior High School. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Bennie Sanders, followed by a prayer by Mrs. T. W. Sisterson. Mrs. A. J. Willis gave a monthly report ofthe financs of the P-TA which showed a balance of $361.12 on handn at this meeting.

The president announced a variety show to be held in the High School Auditorium April 15, and and a white elephant sale at this time, as well as cold drinks. All of this being for the benefit of the organization and school.

The nominating committee gave a report and the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Mrs. Raymond Pate.
First vice president, Mrs. James Ford.
Second vice president, A. A Efird.
Third vice president, Mrs. Alma Scalf.
Secretary, Mrs. Cecil Farley.
Treasurer, Mrs. V. L. Barnett.
Publicity, Mrs. Luther Truett.
Historian, Mrs. Frank Daniel.
Parliamentarian, Mrs. Martha Schubert.
City-County Delegates; Mrs. R C. McCleod, Mrs. Ernest Lawrence and Mrs. R. L. Glenn.

At the close of the business meeting, G. R. Smith took charge of the program. The parents went to the various classes on schedule, just as the pupil does each day. This proved to be very interesting and gave the parent, who had not met the teacher, the opportunity, to do so, as well as to view some of the work accomplished by the children.

Cookies and coffee were served to the parents in the high school cafeteria, at the close of the meeting. This meeting was thoroughly enjoyed by all present and will long be remembered as the most out standing meeting o fthe year as it was held during this very important School Week.

Climax Club Has Luncheon On Tuesday

The Climax Home Demonstration Club met March 15 at 11 a.m. for their annual birthday luncheon. At 12 o'clock a very delightful meal was enjoyed by 18 members and five visitors. Each member brought two covered dishes for the luncheon. The table was centered with a bouquet of pink hyacinths.

At 1:15 p.m. a brief business session was presided over by Mrs. Annis Hickman, vice president, during which time Mrs. Daspit, a guest for the day, gave a very interesting discussion on correct diet, meal planning and healthful and corrective exercises. The club enjoyed her visit very much.

The club adjourned to meet the first Tuesday in April with Mrs. S. A. Shipman as hostess.

Revival At Lebanon Will Begin March 27

The spring revival will begin at the Baptist Church at Lebanon March 27, continuing through April 3. Rev. Loren White, of Melissa, will be the visiting evangelist.

Services will be held at 7:30 p.m. each evening to which the public is invited.

Mrs. Herman Pilgrim and son visited relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. Frances Rule, of Westminster, has been confined to her home recently, with illness.

Walnut Grove Club Meets On Monday

The ladies of the Walnut Grove Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Johnny Kissinger as hostess Monday afternoon for the regular business and social meeting.

Miss Barbara Horn, president, presided over the meeting which was opened by singing a song "When We All Get to Heaven" led by Mrs. Nola Nelson. Mrs. Grady Melton gave the devotional, and all repeated the Lord's Prayer.

Roll call was answered with "Name Some Etiquet Problems in Your Home."

Mrs. Joyce Wilson, secretary-treasurer, gave report of the previous meeting.

Following the business period, Mrs. Lurline Daspit gave a helpful talk on meal planning, buying preparing and serving foods. Mrs Johnny Kissinger gave a demonstration on various kinds of icings for Angel food cakes which was very good. Mrs. Grady Melton received a gift from her Sunshine Sister.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to 13 members, five visitors, Mrs. Nevel, Mrs. Daspit and Mrs. Andy Cross, all of McKinney; Mrs. Faye Hodges, Mrs John Watson, and Kathy and Keitha Wilson, Tim and Teenia Hutcheson, Mark Cashon and Laurie Locke.

The club adjourned to meet with Mrs. M. D. Hardwick March 28.

Seniors Are Banqueted By Baptist WMU

Members of Boyd High School graduating class was honored at a banquet Thursday evening at the First Baptist Church at which time the Women's Missionary Union of which Mrs. Herman White is president, were hostesses.

The church dining room was decorated in a clever circus theme using the class colors of silver and aqua most effectively. The long tables, covered in white, were centered with streamers of acqua crepe paper, upon which were placed white tapers in crystal and silver holders. To each taper was attached hand-painted "peanut Pixie", and at the end of each table a clown head, painted upon a baloon with clusters of vari-colored baloons fastened to the white gloved hands on either side. The "Peanut Pixies" were plate favors and the program and menu were enclosed in small silver booklets tied with aqua cord.

The menu, which was served by representatives from the various Circles of the W. M. U., consisted of the following:

Hawaiian Sideshow
Show Pig
Crystal Balls Sawdust
Green Tent Stakes
Pin Wheels Tent Tops
Midway Mixture
Clown's Delight

Mrs. Frank Blake was chairman of the menu committee while Mrs. R. D. Thurston had charge of the decorations. She was assisted by Mrs. V. L. Barnett and Mrs. Ottis Duvall.

The entertaining program for the evening was arranged by Mrs. J. W. Kendall.

E. A. Randles acted as Tostmaster while Supt. Hailds Pearce gave the invocation. Welcome to the 106 members of the class, and guests, was extended by Mrs. Herman White, with Wallace Coats giving the response.

Special music was a vocal solo by Mrs. Grover Pearson after which much fun was derived from the showing of childhood pictures of teachers, sponsors and many of the students, on the screen.

Dr. Charles Myers, pastor of the church, brought the message for the evening which was sparked with wit and humor but climaxed most impressively as he urged the graduates to consider a Christian Education in their preparations for the future. Grover Pearson gave the benediction.

This was the first of a series of class parties and entertainments which will be held within the next few weeks preceding graduation exercises. The class sponsors are Miss Susie Carlisle, Miss Kathryn Thompson and Joe McKenzie.

Bloomdale Club Meets With Mrs. Fisher

The Bloomdale Home Demonstration Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Jack Fisher. Mrs. R. C. Martin brought the devotional and the president, Mrs. Fisher, presided over the business session.

The club received a Red Cross membership certificate after having made a $5 donation to this worthy cause. Mrs. Lurline Daspit gave an interesting and informative demonstration on "How To Plan Three Meals a Day—diet control."

The next meeting will be held April 7 with Mrs. R. C. Martin.

Gamma Beta Chapter Meets In Denton

Gamma Beta and Delta Kappa Gamma met at Denton, in Hubbard Hall, TSCW, 12:30 noon Saturday, March 19, for a birthday luncheon. Hostesses were Misses Lucille Mc Murray and Mattie Lou Cooper, Mrs. Naomi Press and Mrs. Juanita Randles.

The meeting was presided over by the president of the local chapter, Miss Faye Hudson.

Mrs. Melba Davenport introduced Misses Sue Davis and Jonetta Miller from the music department of North Texas State. Miss Davis vocalist, is a student of Mary McCormic, member of the N. T. faculty and former opera star. Miss Miller, pianist, is a student of Dr. Silvis Scionti, also a member of the faculty. Their program was greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. Niles Richardson, program chairman, introduced the guest speaker, Miss Eugenie Terry, Alpha State president, of Dallas. Her subject was Delta Kappa Gamma on the March. She told of the rapid growth of Delta Kappa Gamma, which is a national organization. She discussed at length the National Delta Gamma headquarters building which is being erected in Austin, Texas, near the campus of the State University. This building will cost approximately $150,000 and it is expected to be completed and out of debt by 1956. The local chapter is grateful to Miss Terry for her splendid talk.

The president, Miss Hudson, presided over a short business session after which the meeting was adjourned.

New Parsonage First Christian To Be Dedicated

The official dedication of the new parsonage of the First Chrstian Church of McKinney will be held from 2:30 until 4:30 p. m., Sunday afternoon, March 27, at the parsonage in the 1200 block of North Waddill Street.

A Short program will be held, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, following which the new parsonage will be thrown open for inspection. The church extends an invitation to all members as well as the general public to attend this dedication.

Dr. Charle B. McKissick of McKinney, General Chairman of the General Planning and Building Committee for the new parsonage, will turn over the keys to the Chairman of the Board of the Church, Bill Christie, who will formally accept the parsonage as church property.

The pastor, Rev. T. W. Sisterson, and family will occupy the new parsonage within a few days after the dedication.

The new parsonage is a result of eighteen months of planning and work on the part of the congregation. Original plans for the parsonage began in September of 1953. By the summer of 1954, a lot had been jurchased and plans had been completed for the new parsonage. In August of 1954, the church lost the old parsonage at 305 North Benge Street, when it was partially destroyed by a fire which swept through that area. Plans and work on the new parsonage immediately speeded up.

One of the features of the dication program will be the recognition of members of the church and other individuals who have given outstanding assistance in this buildng program. Dr. McKisick will recognize these individuals.

The program will be opened by a prayer by Carl E. Meiotn. Ersell G. Simpson will preside and will make a short talk on the history of this building project. Mr. Simpson was Chairman of the Board of the church when the parsonage project was first started.

Other features of the program will include a solo, "Bless This House" by Tom Mitchell, a short dedicatory address and a dedicatory prayer by the pastor, Rev. T. W. Sisterson, and a litany of dedication in which everyone will participate.

Glenn W. Coleman is Chairman of the Arrangements Committee for the dedication, while the Program Committee is composed of Mrs. Edgar Bush, chairman; Mrs. George W. James and Mrs. R. L. Horn.

The new building was planned by Royal N. Strode, Dallas architect and former member of the First Christain congregation, here at McKinney where he was reared. It is of modern design and brick construction, consisting of three bedrooms, two bathrooms, a study, a living room, dining room, kitchen and double carport. The estimated value of this property is $25,000.

The location is part of the Morris estate, and this point is said to be the highest point in Collin County. General contractor for this building was Lee Elliott and Company of McKinney. Cecil Hight of McKinney was general foreman of the construction work.

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Prosper Seniors Will Present Class Play There Thursday Night

A high school principal's office is the setting for the entire play, "High School Hero," which will be presented by the Prosper Senior class Thursday, March 24, at 8:00 p. m. Miss Tommie Sue Salding, senior sponsor, is director of the play and all the fifteen seniors are included in the cast.

Profits from the admission, 35c for students and 50c for adults, will help to finance the senior trip.

Included in the cast of "High School Hero," which will be presented in the high school auditorium, are Francille Atkins, Judy Edwards, Jackie Fudge, Phyllis Gentle, Harold Hamby, Don Hodges Lonita Hodo, Patsy Leig, Rex Malone, Betty Massey, Virginia Rothfus Ruby Rousseau, Aline Smith, Maurice Sterling and Jimmy Willis.

Visiting Minister To Lead Immanuel Baptist Revival

Immanuel Baptist Church revival services will begin Wednesday, March 23, at 7:45 o'clock and continue through Sunday, April 3.

The evangelist for the meeting will be the Reverend Bill Henson, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Riesel. The music will be directed by the local pastor, Rev. Joel Ortendahl.

The public is invited and urged to attend these services.

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Mr. and Mrs. Enos Eaton, Rev. and Mrs. C. G. Laymon, of Lebanon, visited in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Will M. Smith, of Frisco, have returned from a visit with their daughter in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pope, of Dallas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Pope, at Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith and sons, of Greenville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Brooks at Lebanon.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gant, of Blythe's Chapel, visited her sister, Mrs. Ernest Massey, Rev. Massey and daughter, Ernestine, at Tyler.

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